

U. S. Demands Russia Release Americans

TUFTS ON WITNESS STAND

Formal Demand by Secretary of State Hughes for Release of American Prisoners in Russia

Official Communication Handed by Consul Albrecht to Leonid Stark, the Bolshevik Minister at Riga, Latvia—Curt Demand by Hughes Is First Official Representation Made Upon the Subject

RIGA, Latvia, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—An official demand by Secretary of State Hughes for the release of the American prisoners in Russia was handed by Consul Albrecht to Leonid Stark, the Bolshevik minister here last night.

Formal Demand for Release. WASHINGTON, July 27.—Formal demand for release of American prisoners in Russia has been made on the Soviet authorities by Secretary Hughes. The state department was advised today that the communication had been handed to the Soviet representative at Riga yesterday, by Consul Albrecht. The text of the communication has not been made public. It is understood, however, to be a brief insistence that the Americans be released before there can be any thought of better relations between the United States and Russia. The action was taken in the name of humanity and because all efforts to obtain the release of the Americans, made through Dr. Nansen of the Red Cross, have failed. What course will be taken by the United States if the Soviet authorities ignore or refuse to accede to the demands, was not indicated. The communication was sent to Consul Albrecht July 25. The curt demand made upon the Russian authorities for the release of American prisoners, is the first official representation made upon the subject, although Lenin and Trotsky and their associates have been previously advised informally of the determination of the United States not to consider closer relations with Russia until this was done.

CONFERENCE ON IRISH QUESTION

De Valera and Colleagues
Have Not Yet Found a Basis
for Proposed Session

Continue Search for Common
Ground on Which Contend-
ing Parties Can Meet

DUBLIN, July 27.—(By the Associated Press).—Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican leader, and his colleagues, have not yet found a basis for the proposed conference with the British government on the Irish question in London, but are continuing to search for a common ground on which the contending parties can meet, it was stated in a well informed quarter here today.

DIVORCE TANGLE BEFORE JUDGE PICKMAN

The case of Charles Dennis, charged with non-support of his wife, Ida, was before Judge Pickman on continuance in the local police court this morning. Knotty points of law developed in connection with the consideration of the case and the judge mopped beads of perspiration from his brow, as he

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Now make your money work for
you. This Bank is the place where
your money works. Idle MONEY
is as bad as Idle HANDS.

Interest Begins Aug. 6



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that is under the
supervision of the
United States Gov-
ernment and that
is a member of the
Federal Reserve
System is a pretty
good bank for your
savings.**

Interest in our Sav-
ings Department
begins August 1.

Old Lowell
National Bank

District Attorney Faces Full Bench to Give Accounting of His Stewardship as Prosecutor

B. & M. FIGHTING FOR BUSINESS

Rates Are Being Cut to
Meet Motor Truck Compe-
tition Here

Stated That New Rates
Will go Into Effect August
First

The Boston & Maine railroad will make a determined effort to regain some of the express freight business between Lowell and Boston, which has been lost through the competition of motor trucks, by reducing the express charges. A new table of express rates is being drawn up and is expected to go into effect Aug. 1. It was not officially stated how great the cut would be, but it was unofficially reported this morning that the charges between Boston and Lowell would be reduced to approximately 71 cents per hundred pounds on all ordinary express business. The present rate is 26 and one-half cents.

Lowell is but one of a number of cities within a fifty mile radius of Boston which will be affected by the cut. At the headquarters of the Boston and Maine railroad in Boston it was stated that the cut would amount to an average reduction of 40 per cent. This reduction has been made necessary by the trucking companies which have sprung up in ever in-creasing numbers.

PRICES AS USUAL AT CITY BATH HOUSE

There has been no authorization for an increase in rates at the municipal bath house, according to Supt. John W. Kernan of the park department, and anybody who has been asked to pay more than the established rate has a right to complain to the park board and secure a hearing.

It has been alleged that during very warm days when the bathhouse is taxed to capacity individuals have been charged 35 cents for a locker, towel and bathing suit. The established price is 25 cents. Supt. Kernan says that nobody has any right to charge more than 25 cents unless more than one person is to use the same locker or more than one towel is required. In that event, he says, an extra charge is made.

The attention of Mayor Thompson has been called to the alleged increase in price at the bath house and Mr. Kernan said that if such were the case it should be stopped at once. He believes that the bath house should be run as nearly free of charge to the public as possible. He doesn't expect it to be even self-supporting, but that a minimum charge should be made to those who are given suits, lockers and towels.

LOOK FOR SETTLEMENT OF PLUMBERS' STRIKE

The strike of the local journeymen plumbers, it was stated this morning, may be settled this week. The local plumbers went out on strike about five weeks ago after refusing to accept a reduction in wages of 10 cents an hour.

The Boston Journeymen Plumbers have accepted a wage reduction of 10 per cent.

It is said that most of the building crafts of New England follow the action of the Boston workers. An example of this was given in this city last spring, when shortly after the Boston carpenters accepted a reduction of 10 cents an hour, the local union of carpenters accepted a voluntary reduction of 10 cents an hour.

None of the officials of the local Journeymen Plumbers' union wish to make any statement as to the probability of a settlement of the strike here but they state that it is very probable the matter will be discussed at Friday night's meeting of the union.

A French physician has invented an apparatus that measures the amount of air a person breathes.

RAID ALLEGED VICE DEN Police Make Early Morning Descent on Camp on Shore of Silver Lake

Lowell and Tewksbury police joined forces for a raid at an early hour this morning on an alleged vice den in a camp on the shores of Silver Lake in South Tewksbury. It was necessary to batter in the doors to secure admission to the place. A young married woman and four young men were taken into custody and lodged in the Lowell police station on charges of improper conduct.

LOWELL MAN KILLED IN CAPE COD ACCIDENT

Information was received by the police this afternoon of the death in an accident in Chatham, Cape Cod, of a man by the name of MacKenney. The first name of the man was not given. It was later announced by the police that they had got in contact with Hugh MacKenney, 37 West Union street, an employee of the board of health, and notified him of the accident. The police stated that the latter is a brother of the deceased.

MUST EMPLOY LOWELL LABOR

A statement given out at the headquarters of the chamber of commerce this morning denies that Lowell labor will receive the nod end of the bargain if the contract paying petition is favored by the voters in the coming special election.

The statement follows: "Opponents to paying contract protest that when this initiative petition is accepted by the voters the street department employees and residents of Lowell can expect no consideration from the contractors who will build the streets. A careful reading of the petition as it will be placed before the voters will show this to be absolutely untrue. The petition expressly forbids the employment of outside or imported labor for it says that 'all contracts shall contain such legal provisions for the employment as laborers of persons residing in Lowell as the municipal council shall approve. Consequently, those who are arguing that under the contract paying system the laboring man will have no show or basis for his arguments on an ignorance of the very petition itself. The petition plainly says that each contractor must employ Lowell labor.'"

The U. S. forest products laboratory has built a machine that tests the strength of wood.

VOTE FOR BETTER STREETS

See Page 12
Boston Paving
\$3.06 Sq. Yd.
Lowell Paving
\$13.34 Sq. Yd.
WHY?
TUESDAY-AUG. 9th

Jas. E. O'Donnell
Counsellor at Law
ROOM 220, 45 MERRIMACK ST.

JUDGE DUBUQUE FIRST CALLED

Testifies in Behalf of Tufts as
First of Several Judicial
Witnesses

Declares During Years He Has
Held Criminal Sessions Cal-
endar Always Crowded

BOSTON, July 27.—District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts, a defendant at the bar of the supreme court in proceedings brought by Attorney-General Allen to oust him from office, faced the full bench today to give an accounting of his stewardship as Middlesex county prosecutor. His defense against the attorney-general's charges of malfeasance, misfeasance and nonfeasance in office, was begun late yesterday after ten days of prosecution evidence at times sensational in a nature although of disputed application to the allegations.

Before Mr. Tufts took the stand, his counsel called on Judge Hugo A. Dubuque of the superior court as the first of several judicial witnesses in his behalf.

Judge Dubuque testified that during the years he has held criminal sessions at Cambridge, the calendar has always been crowded.

"Were matters expeditiously handled by the district attorney?" he was asked.

Assistant Attorney-General Hurlburt objected.

"You have developed nothing to show that they were not?" Chief Justice Rugg remarked, excluding the question.

Judge Dubuque said he did not recall a case against Stella Kennedy.

Answering a question, he said that keeping a disorderly house was a serious offense but he did not consider it as serious as crime of violence.

Asked if he did not think cases of disorderly houses where there were carousing over long periods were serious and ought to be tried, he said he did.

"Lowell Mid-Wife" Cases

Speaking of the fine imposed on one of the defendants in a group of cases referred to as the "Lowell mid-wife cases," Mr. Hurlburt said:

"You know, of course, that if that sentence was imposed by you it was an illegal sentence, as the statute says the fine must be not less than \$100?"

Judge Dubuque said it probably imposed on the recommendation of the district attorney.

It was stated that one of the women involved, Anna Paduch, was fined \$75.

Rival Counsel Clash

Conflict between Assistant Attorney-General Hurlburt and counsel for Mr. Tufts developed at the outset over the method of cross-examination of the district attorney. I had been announced that Mr. Tufts would testify separately on each of the principal groups of charges brought by the attorney-general with the Mishawum Manor case among the first to be taken up.

Mr. Hurlburt asked that cross-examination be postponed until his direct evidence in all cases was completed, explaining that Attorney-General Allen who was in New York, wished to examine Mr. Attorney Melvin M. Johnson, for Mr. Tufts, pointing out that the prosecution had introduced its charges in sections, said the defense wished to follow a similar course.

Ruled in Favor of Tufts
Chief Justice Rugg ruled in favor of Tufts' counsel, that cross-examination ought to follow the same line as the direct examination.

State Rests Case
The commonwealth rested yesterday afternoon at 2:53 except that Atty-Gen. Allen reserved the right to introduce the deposition of Atty. Charles Connor, formerly of the office of Sherman L. Whipple, and to clear up odd ends of a few cases held up by

Charges Against Chairman Delaney of The School Committee Made By Superintendent Molloy

Superintendent Says School Board Chairman Secured Election of Permanent Substitute Teachers Who Were Not Entitled to the Positions—Elections Were Made When Superintendent Was Ill and Absent

A definite charge that Chairman Thomas B. Delaney of the school committee had secured the election of four permanent substitute teachers last winter who were not entitled to the positions was made by Supt. Hugh J. Molloy of the school department at last evening's regular meeting of the committee in city hall.

Mr. Molloy charged that in his absence while he was ill, the list of those eligible for appointment as permanent substitutes got into the possession of Mr. Delaney and that instead of taking the next four names on the list the chairman skipped away down and took the names of candidates whose appointments, in the natural course of events, would not come for some time later.

Chairman Delaney immediately responded to the allegations, saying that

the superintendent had not given all the facts and that he had no way to verify the numbers of the young women who were appointed. He asked that he be given time to make a reply and the committee honored his request by setting next Tuesday at 5 p. m. as the time in which he should make his reply.

The committee elected 20 permanent substitutes, the names being taken from the results of the teachers' examination held here June 25. The first 20 at the head of the list, 20 or whom are assured of immediate assignments. They were elected after a motion by Committee Chairman Delaney that Lowell girls be given preference. The motion was defeated, 3 to 2. The elections are as follows:

Mildred F. Collier, Elizabeth A. Har-

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Turkish Leader Asks Intervention in Effort to Obtain Cessation of Hostilities

LONDON, July 27.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha, head of the Turkish nationalist government, has sent a telegram to Constantinople asking that the central government intervene with the allies in an effort to obtain a cessation of Greco-Turk hostilities, according to despatches from Constantinople to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

Turkish Losses 60,000

ATHENS, July 27.—Information indicated that the resistance of the Turkish nationalists in Asia Minor is completely broken, the Greek official news agency declares in a statement issued here today. The Turkish losses in killed, wounded and prisoners to date are estimated at 60,000. The Greeks, the statement says, are constantly pressing the Kemalists along the road to Angora.

Refuse Wider Powers for Obregon

MEXICO CITY, July 27.—"The chamber of deputies last night voted down a request by President Obregon that he be granted extraordinary powers to adjust Article 27 of the constitution which nationalizes oil deposits. The senate almost simultaneously voted to decide to the request."

THREE DEGREES HOTTER TAKEN TO LAWRENCE ON THAN YESTERDAY

Three degrees hotter than yesterday was the story registered by the thermometer in Merrimack Sq., this noon. At noon yesterday the mercury had climbed to the 83 point but at the same hour today it registered 91.

There was a slight breeze to offset the oppressive heat but the humidity seemed to be greater than yesterday.

Promises of some relief from the heat wave which has enveloped Lowell for nearly four days was promised by the weather man this noon when he predicted with cooler weather tomorrow.

As during the previous three days, the municipal bath house was taxed to capacity today and the various parks and beaches were the destination of hundreds who had an opportunity to get away from the city.

CHARGES AGAINST CHIEF OF POLICE

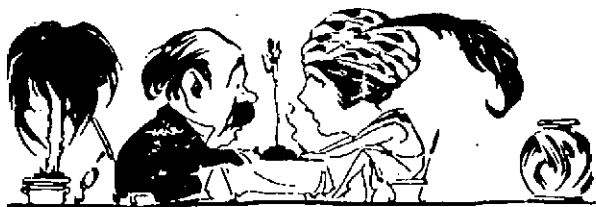
Mayor Perry D. Thompson expects to be ready to announce his finding on the charges brought against Supt. Redmond Welch by Alexander Cruikshank before the end of the present week, he said today. A stenographic report of the hearing held on the matter in city hall Monday noon was taken and His Honor is going over the testimony carefully before making his finding.

KASINO Every Night Except Tuesday
TONIGHT—LADIES' NIGHT
Admission for Ladies, 10¢, Includes War Tax and Checking
CAMPBELL'S ORCHESTRA

LEARN TO DANCE

Bay State Dancing School, 265 Dutton St., Formerly Elvin's
Private lessons every day from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. and from 6:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. at 10¢. Class lessons every evening from 8 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. Ladies, 40¢. GOOD MUSIC. GENTLEMEN, 50¢.

The Entertainment's Found, I Think, In Those Who Come to Eat and Drink



My child, the big
Town cabaret
Is food for study,
Any day.

Not as to enter-
tainers, no;
But as to those
Who heap their dough

Upon the waiter's
Ready mill,
So they may rent
A place to sit

And jazz their soup
With merry mien,
In hopes that they
Are being seen!

The debutante
From Omaha (with
Hose-less knees)
Sits close to pa,

And tries to sling
The soulful eye
At hired dancers
Skidding by.

The dressy buyer
From the west
Chews large cigars,
Throws out his chest,

And tells his fluff
Lady friend
About the way he
Loves to spend.

She then and there
Decides that he
Shall choose her for
His sole spendee!

Ah yes, my child,
I often think
The purchasers
Of food and drink

How Dave Belasco
Says, "My dear,
You'd oughta been
A star this year,

But Ulric woulda
Gotten sore,
And 'gosh, I can't
Give her the door!"

The clerk agrees
With ready zeal
That ladies gets
A rotten deal!"

Are more diverting
Than the troupe
That starts dancing
With the soup.

—BY FRANCES BOARDMAN.

Sen. Du Pont Sworn In

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The senate republican majority was increased by one yesterday when T. Coleman Du Pont of Delaware, was sworn in to succeed Josiah O. Wolcott, democrat, resigned to become chancellor of Delaware. The change gives the republicans 60 and the democrats 38 members.

Wilson Meets Downey Tonight

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 27.—Johnny Wilson of Boston, middleweight champion, and Bryan Downey of Cleveland, will meet here tonight in a 12-round no decision bout. Jack Welsh of Boston will referee. Eddie Wagon, Philadelphia lightweight, is to meet Cal Delaney of Cleveland, in a 10-round semi-final.

Northcliffe Urges "Lot of Sport News"

NEW YORK, July 27.—Lord Northcliffe, the British publisher, who has been on the links practically every day while he has been in this city on his way to the Far East, is an ardent believer in sport news. "Give us a lot of sport news," he told callers at an all-day reception to fellow newspapermen. "It should be plentifully interchanged between nations. It helps to create good fellowship. If we obtain cheaper cable tolls undoubtedly we will have more international sports sent broadcast."

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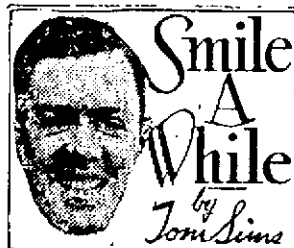
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Other Cars Show Proportionate
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Some screen stars should be behind it instead of on it.

Hard knocks are good for a man—unless he's doing the knocking.

Mosquitoes are in disrepute because they bite the hand that's feeding them.

Parents should make their daughters promise not to smoke until they're 21.

Any boy who hates arithmetic can tell you how many hours it is until school starts.

A reformer says Sunday trains will be stopped in 1925. Yes, at many stations.

Russia wants to come to Harding's party. We didn't know she had anything to wear.

A man will chase a golf ball all over the links because it's too hot to go to church.

When a woman dies, the men learn how good she was and the women how old she was.

An editor discovers women have learned to be on time. Yes, but come half dressed.

Daughter once ran upstairs to wash her face and hands; now it's her hands and knees.

Some men's pet peeves are hard times and not being able to find a place to park their cars.

Harding might end the controversy by making the Philippines a state and calling it "Turnoff."

Horse swappers didn't lie any more about their steeds than auto swappers do about their speeds.

An Austrian crown is worth nearly one cent, which makes it more valuable than some other European crowns.

A cynic knows one out of every 16 couples that are married get divorced and believes the other 15 can't afford to.

"ROCK OF ULSTER" GREAT OBSTACLE TO PEACE

LONDON, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—The uncanny silence Dublin maintains relative to the British government's proposals would create uneasiness but for the known fact that the Sinn Féin leaders are engaged in daily discussion of these proposals, which, as Austen Chamber-

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and Paint Co.
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Mr. Gage, our advertising man, says: "C-U-R-I-O-S-I-T-Y once killed a cat, it made the state of Missouri famous and is today the compelling force behind the ADAMS HARDWARE and PAINT CO., who are boosting their sales of Hardware and Paint."

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WADERS
In all colors. Regular prices
79c and 89c. About 25 in
the lot. Thursday a. m.
only 69c
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While they last.... 6c each
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BONNETS
All sizes. Regular prices 39c
to 59c. Thursday a. m.
only 29c
Second Floor

OVERDRAPE SUNFAST SILK
Washable colors and sunfast, all colors,
48 inches wide, suitable for overdresses
for any room in the house. Regular
price \$5.00. Thursday a. m. only,
yard \$3.00
Third Floor

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
Fine ribbed cotton, low neck, no sleeves,
tight knee. Regular price 95c. Thurs-
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SMALLWARE SHOP
THURSDAY A. M. ONLY
50c Rubberized Kitchen
Aprons, assorted checks, 39c
95c Box of 12 Sanitary Nap-
kins, box..... 65c
15c Card Pearl Buttons, as-
sorted kinds, 3 cards 25c
15c Card Cling Socket Snaps,
2 for 15c
25c Dress Shields, pair 19c
7c Spool Basting Cotton,
2 for 11c
Street Floor

CHILDREN'S FINEST SILK
LISLE SOX
In white and colors. Regular
price 50c. Thursday a. m.
only 29c pair, 2 for 50c
Street Floor

DOWN STAIRS SPECIALS

ICE CREAM FREEZERS—2-qt. size, galvanized can. Regular
price \$1.69. Thursday a. m. only \$1.35
WOOL WALL DUSTERS—14 inch size. Regular price \$1.39.
Thursday a. m. only 98c

GLASS SALT BOXES—With cover and hanging band. Thursday
a. m. only 25c
ICED TEA SETS—Jug and six glasses, Poinsetti and grape pat-
terns. Regular price \$5.00. Thursday a. m. only, set \$3.25

Basement Section

On Sale Tomorrow Morning Only

Remnants and Dress Patterns of Wash Fabrics

Lengths 2 to 7 yards, being an accumula-
tion of our heavy selling of the past
three months, mostly colored voiles,
some gingham and white goods, in
stripes, checks and figures. Values 59c
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BOYS' SHOE SHOP

BOYS' SPORT SHOES—Brown canvas
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75c. Thursday a. m. only..... 25c
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Embroidered initial. Regular
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RUFFLED DOTTED MARQUISSETTE CURTAINS

Full width and length, neat 2-inch
ruffle, tie-backs to match. Regu-
lar price \$4.50. Thursday a. m.
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Third Floor

MEN'S HOSE

Plain black with reinforced heels and
toes. Regular prices 15c and 19c.
Thursday a. m. only..... 2 pairs 25c
Second Floor

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only, pair \$1.00
Street Floor

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CREPE KIMONOS—Thursday a. m. \$1.98—
About two and one-half dozen Jap crepe
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VOILE AND GINGHAM DRESSES—Thursday
a. m. \$1.98—Just fifty customers will get
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dresses that have been selling for \$2.98,
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Thursday a. m. \$1.98—Only 20 in the lot,
in glow cloth, heather mixture. This is the
finest tie-back made. Regular prices \$4.98
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—Twenty-five pure worsted sport coats, all
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Face Powder and Puff,
Talcum Powder, Bath Pow-
der, Hair Dyes, Shaving
Lotion, Toilet Water, etc.
Values up to \$1.00. Thurs-
day a. m. only, choice,
each 19c
Street Floor

WOMEN'S VESTS

Fine ribbed cotton, low neck,
no sleeves. Regular price
39c. Thursday a. m.
only 29c, 4 for \$1.00
Street Floor

RIVAL SQUADS READY

PRINCETON, N. J., July 27.—The
English and American athletes who
will compete in the international in-
tercollegiate meet between Oxford,
Cambridge and Princeton-Cornell, at
Travers Island on Thursday have vir-
tually completed their training and
spent today in resting and light exer-
cises.
The squads are all reported in good
condition.

There are twice as many people
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Fred Howard, 151 Central St.;
Burkhardt Drug Co., opp. Depot
and Green Drug Store, Merri-
mack Square, A. O. Leonard,
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Conference on Education Guest of
Local Y.M.C.A. Officials
General Secretary H. F. Howe and
Industrial Secretary H. F. Hockman of
the local Y.M.C.A. yesterday enter-
tained as their guest Dr. H. S. Alivisatos,
member of the Greek cabinet as
head of the department of religion and
education, head of the department of
theology of the University of Athens
and a member of the world's confer-
ence on education, held at Geneva
some time ago. The doctor, who is
spending six months in this country
for the purpose of studying the Amer-
ican Y.M.C.A., was accompanied on his
trip to this city by Clarence A. Beasley

PILES Can Be Quickly Relieved

Are you suffering the pain and tor-
ture of a bad case of piles? It is not
necessary—they can be relieved quick-
ly and permanently with Pile Cure
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thousands. It is the prescription of a
well known physician. Pile Cure
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the demand from all parts of the coun-
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you to send a penny for this wonder-
ful preparation. Simply write for \$1
tube and pay for it upon its arrival.
Then, if it doesn't completely satis-
fy you in every particular we will
refund your money promptly. No pain,
no operating, no doctor's bills, just a
simple, reliable home treatment that
anybody can use. Write for \$1 size to-
day. Sent in plain wrapper. The Pile
Cure Co., Inc., 10 Paw Ave., Troy, N. Y.
—Adv.

of the activities department of the
Boston Y.M.C.A. He visited several
local mills and later made a tour of
the Greek community, accompanied by
President James Danas.

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Para district of Brazil.

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Also Pimples, Hair Thin and
Fell Out. Cuticura Heals.

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my scalp and caused it to itch. My
hair became thin and constantly fell
and combed out, and the dandruff
scaled off and could be seen on my
clothing.
"The trouble lasted three or four
years. I tried remedies but found no
cure in them. I began using Cuti-
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ment with the Cuticura Soap I was
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oratories, Dept. B, Malden 61, Mass." Sold every-
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2500 Cuticura Soap above without box.

PROMISE PLENTY OF FIREWORKS

Friends of Gov. Small Discuss
Latest Developments in
Famous Case

Governor Agrees to Accept
Service of Warrant, Charg-
ing Embezzlement

CHICAGO, July 27.—Friends of Governor Small today promised "plenty of fireworks in the next 48 hours" after the governor's counsel telegraphed Sheriff Mester of Sangamon county (Springfield), that the governor would accept service of the warrant charging him with embezzlement of state funds while state treasurer.

Governor Small arrived here last night and the decision not to resist service of the warrant was announced after a conference with his counsel. Attorney General Brundage, who was active in the grand jury investigation which resulted in the indictment, came on the same train.

"We wish to give the governor a reasonable length of time in which to comply with the court's order," said the attorney general. In such cases three days are usually allowed to arrange bail and surrender in court. Plans of Governor Small's counsel, it was said, are to permit the governor to remain in custody when the warrant is served while a writ of habeas corpus is being sued out. This would force the attorney general to show cause why the governor should be required to submit to criminal trial.

Sheriff Mester replied to the

REGISTRATION SESSION

Chamber of Commerce Pre-
paring for Registration on
Initiative Petition

The chamber of commerce is preparing for the registration session to be held here Aug. 4 in anticipation of the special election on the chamber of commerce initiative petition. The session will last from 12 noon to 10 p. m. and the commission emphasizes the fact that those who wish to become registered as voters at that time should bring their tax bills. Otherwise, it will be necessary for them to go to the assessors' office to make sure that they are entitled to vote.

Naturalized citizens are requested to bring their naturalization papers and women who have not been registered are warned that they cannot vote unless they become registered before the special election which comes Aug. 9.

NEW LAKEVIEW PARK
Tonight at Lakeview, a fireworks program is to be staged. The public is generally invited to enjoy this feature. It's one of Lakeview's high lights of the season. Tomorrow afternoon, the dear girls will swim for the cham-

ber of commerce.

telegram of the governor's counsel that he would not send to Cook county (Chicago) to serve the warrant on the governor but would wait his return to Springfield.

Russians Fire On German Fleet

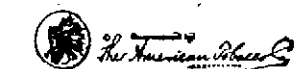
BERLIN, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—The German mine sweeping fleet which has been operating in the Kola Bight on the northern Russian coast is reported in a special despatch from Vardoe, Norway, to have been fired on by Russian land forts. The German fleet returned the fire, but no damage is reported on either side. The German fleet, which left Wilhelmshaven a week ago to clear the White sea of mines under the provisions of the Versailles treaty, has retired to Vardoe to await further developments; the despatch says.

Warrants For Arrest of Governor

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 27.—Warrants for the arrest of Governor Len Small on charges of embezzlement and conspiracy to defraud the state, were placed in the hands of Sheriff Henry Mester of Sangamon county this morning. The sheriff immediately sent a message to Attorney Albert Fink, Governor Small's counsel in Chicago, informing him that it will not be necessary for the governor to submit to arrest in Chicago today; arrangements for bonds could be made when the executive returns to the capital.



**Cigarette
It's Toasted**



ship of Lowell. They will start and finish directly opposite the pavilion. Quite a number of entries have been received, and those who are tardy should go immediately to Mr. Coughlin at Kittredge's store, Central street, or telephone.

Thursday Specials

8.30 A. M. TO 12 NOON

A. G. Pollard Co.
THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

PLATONOID PICTURE FRAMES

Platonoid Picture Frames; regular prices \$2.29. July Mark-down \$1.50

"July Markdowns" The Only Thursday Specials This Week

We have chosen a few extraordinary items from each department as most interesting for tomorrow morning's shoppers—better take advantage of them. The values offered at this annual mid-summer selling are the most attractive of the season. Stocks are being closed out. Quantities are limited.

LINEN SECTION

Mercerized Scotch Damask; regular price \$1.25 yard. July Mark-down 89c yd.

Heavy Table Damask; regular price \$1.75. July Mark-down \$1.49 yd.

Union Huck Towels; regular price 75c ea. July Mark-down 50c ea.

Mercerized Napkins; regular price 15c ea. July Mark-down 12 1/2c ea.

Palmer St. Store

TOILET GOODS

Roger & Gallet Rice Powder; regular price 45c. July Mark-down 29c

Derma Viva Face Powder; regular price 50c. July Mark-down 29c

Hyglo Manicure Sets; regular price 50c. July Mark-down 39c

Street Floor

LEATHER GOODS

Beaded Bags; regular price \$11.50 to \$22.50. July Mark-down \$7.50 to \$15.00

Bill Folds; regular prices \$1.00 to \$6.75. July Mark-down 50c to \$4.50

Street Floor

FLOUNCING

Colored Organdie Flouncing; regular prices \$1.98, \$2.25 a yard. July Mark-down \$1.75 a yd.

Street Floor

HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs; regular price 25c. July Mark-down 17c ea.

Men's Cotton Handkerchiefs; regular price 12 1/2c. July Mark-down 3 for 25c

Street Floor

APRONS

Dress Apron, made of fine striped, checked and figured percale, low neck, short sleeves, two pockets and wide sash, neatly trimmed with rick rack braid; regular price \$1.39. July Mark-down, \$1.00

Street Floor

SHOES

Women's Bathing Shoes; regular price \$1.50. July Mark-down \$1.00

Women's Patent Oxfords; regular price \$12.00. July Mark-down \$5.00

MILLINERY

Dress Hats; regular prices \$12 to \$18.50. July Mark-down \$5.00

RIBBONS

Wide Dark Brocade and Metal Ribbons; regular prices \$4.98 and \$5.98 yard. July Mark-down \$1.98 yd.

WASH GOODS

Silk Striped Shirting; regular price \$1.25 yd. July Mark-down 79c yd.

Linen, linen color only; regular price \$1.75. July Mark-down 89c yd.

White Nainsook (10 yd. pc.); regular \$2.75. July Mark-down \$1.89

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WAISTS

\$2.98 White Waists, colored trimmings, at \$1.75
\$2.98 Colored Voile Smocks, at \$1.49
\$7.50 Georgette Over-Blouses, at \$5.00
\$8.98 and \$10.00 Stout Silk Waists, at \$5.00
\$5.00 Hand Made Waists, at \$2.98
\$2.98 Voile Van Dyke Waists, at \$1.98

WAIST DEPT.

SECOND FLOOR

SPECIALS FROM THE SUIT DEPT.

\$10.00 Colored Baronette Skirts, at \$6.75
\$8.50 Fibre Silk Sweaters, at \$5.98
\$1.98 Tie-Back Sweaters, at \$1.49
\$2.98 Jersey Tie-Backs, at \$1.98
98c Colored Sateen Petticoats, at 49c
\$1.98 and \$2.98 Colored Sateen Petticoats, at \$1.00
\$1.98 Polka Dot Tie-Backs, at \$1.19

LACES

Linen Cluny Lace; 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 in. wide; regular prices 25c and 39c yd. July Mark-down 15c yd.

Real Filet Edge; 1 in. wide; regular price 50c. July Mark-down 25c yd.

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HAIR NETS

Hair Nets, cap shape; regular price 10c each. July Mark-down 79c doz.

Street Floor

CUT GLASS

Relish Dishes; regular price \$2.50. July Mark-down \$1.75

Apple Bowls; regular price \$1.50. July Mark-down \$3.00

Spoon Trays; regular price \$1.50. July Mark-down 75c

Ginger Ale Sets, jug and 6 glasses; regular price \$3.00. July Mark-down \$2.00

Street Floor

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Spoon Trays; regular price \$1.50. July Mark-down 75c

Ginger Ale Sets, jug and 6 glasses; regular price \$3.00. July Mark-down \$2.00

Street Floor

SHELL GOODS

Hair Pins; regular price 15c a box. July Mark-down 3 Boxes for 25c

Fancy Casque Combs; regular price 50c. July Mark-down 25c

Street Floor

HOSIERY

Women's Brown Cotton Hose; regular price 30c. July Mark-down 20c

Misses' White Hose and Boys' Hose; regular price 25c. July Mark-down 5 pairs for \$1

Children's Colored Socks; regular price 38c. July Mark-down 30c

Street Floor

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Union Suits; regular price \$1.00. July Mark-down 69c

Boys' Eru Union Suits; regular price 60c. July Mark-down 38c

Children's Jersey Pants; regular price 25c. July Mark-down 15c

Street Floor

LININGS

Surf Cloth Novelties; regular price \$1.25. July Mark-down \$1.00

Mercerized Sateen Novelties; regular price 85c. July Mark-down 69c

Palmer Street Store

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

Unbleached Sheets; regular price \$1.00 each. July Mark-down 79c each

Extra Large Sheets; regular price \$1.98 each. July Mark-down \$1.29 each

Palmer Street Store

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Grandfather singing: "If a body meet a body, comin' through the eye"—and saying to himself: "Gosh, if I could only have played this way forty years ago!"

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In thousands of homes the older folks are living over again the days of their youth—inspired by the Easy-to-Play Gulbransen. The ballads and dances of years ago—how they love them!—and how well they play them!

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DRY GOODS SECTION

Bleached Sheets, 40 dozen in lot, made of a good quality cotton cloth, size 72x90. Regular \$1 value, at 79c each

Pepperell Unbleached Cotton, in remnants, 36 inches wide. Regular 19c value, at 10c yard

Bleached Cotton in remnants, 36 inches wide. Regular 15c value, at 10c yard

Curtain Serim, white and cream, with fancy woven borders. Regular 25c value, at 15c yard

Khaki Cloth, made for the government, good quality. Regular 29c value, at 17c yard

Bleached Domet, in remnants, good heavy quality. Regular 12 1/2c value, at 8c yard

Outing Flannel, 36 inches wide, excellent quality. Regular 19c value, at 12 1/2c yard

Turkish Towels, very absorbent, medium size. Regular 19c value, at 12 1/2c each

Union Linen Crash Toweling, either bleached or brown. Regular 25c value, at 19c yard

Bates Table Damask, fast color, a choice of a fine assortment of patterns. Regular \$1.00 value 69c yard

Cretonne and Silkalene, in remnants, a dandy assortment of patterns to choose from. Regular 20c yard, at 15c yard

DRY GOODS SECTION

Gingham and chambray, in remnants, here in plain colors, also pretty plaid combinations. Regular 20c value, at 12 1/2c yd.

White Voile in remnants. Regular 20c value, at 15c yard

Cotton Blankets, good size, plaid patterns. Regular \$2.00 pair value, at 59c each

Boys' Hose, heavy ribbed, in black and brown. Regular 19c value, at 10c pair

Women's Hose, lisle finish, double sole and heel. Regular 19c value, at 10c pair

Women's Silk Hose, in black and colors, some have seam in back. Regular 50c value, at 29c pair

Children's Play Suits, made one piece style of blue denim and khaki. Regular \$1.00 value, at 69c each

House Furnishings Section

Glass Wash Boards. Regular price 98c, at 69c each

Waldorf Toilet Paper. Regular price 12 1/2c, at 10c roll

Garbage Cans, 7-gallon size. Regular price \$1.69, at \$1.49 each

Wool Soap for toilet and bath. Regular price 7c cake, at 5c cake

Garden Rakes. Regular price 98c, at 69c each

Garden Hoes. Regular price 98c, at 69c each

Spading Forks. Regular price \$1.49, at 98c each

MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION

Boys' Union Suits, fine jersey ribbed, in white and ecru. Regular 60c value, at 39c each

Men's Shirts and Drawers, halbriggan, in ecru only. Regular 50c value, at 39c each

Men's Working Shirts, made of heavy chambray, woven chevrot and twill, in black, double front and back. Regular \$1.00 value, at 65c, 2 for \$1.25

Men's Suspenders, made of good strong elastic with web leather ends. Regular 25c value, at 15c pair

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SHOE DEPT.

Women's One-Strap Sandals with rubber heels, easy fitting, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 8. Regular price \$2.00, at \$1.49

Women's Lace Comfort Oxfords with rubber heels, soft and comfort fitting, all sizes, 3 to 8. Regular price \$2.50, at \$1.98

Women's Black Brogue Oxfords with rubber heels, a good shoe for big girls, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, wide width. Regular price \$4.00, at \$1.98

Misses' and Children's Tan or Gun Metal Lace Oxfords, also patent colt in lot. These shoes are stitch down and are very flexible, wide width only, sizes 5 to 11 and 11 1/2 to 2, at \$1.49

Tan Play Shoes, dark shade, all sizes, 5 to 11. Regular price \$1.25, at 98c

Boys' Tan Scout Shoes, all sizes. 9 to 13 1/2, at \$1.49

1 to 2, at \$1.75

2 1/2 to 6, at \$1.98

DRY GOODS SECTION

Women's Vests, ribbed, cut low neck and sleeveless. Regular 19c value, at 10c each

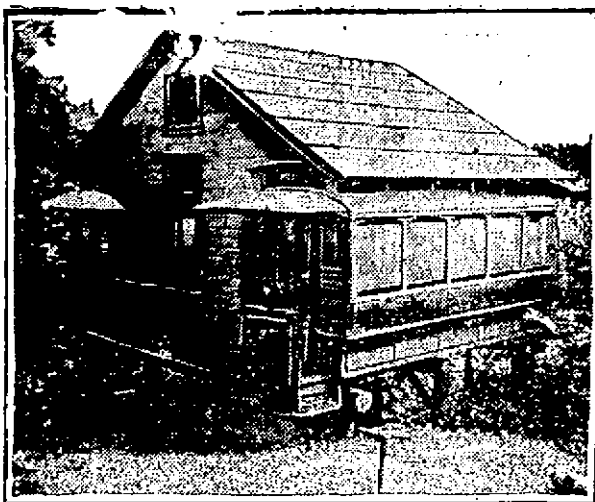
Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, an excellent quality for underwear. Regular 10c value, at 12 1/2c yard

HENRY SHOWS US HOW!



Henry Ford should know, if anyone does, how to crank a Ford car. Here he is doing it at the Maryland camp where President Harding, Edison and other notables pitched tents. The fellow in the background who seems so amused at Ford's labor is H. S. Firestone, the tire manufacturer.

A STREET-CAR BUNGALOW



Two discarded street cars were used by a Washington man to construct this cheap bungalow.

School Board Meeting

Continued

ington, Viola H. Howker, Catherine E. McDermott, Mary J. Campbell, Doran M. Roy, Bertha W. Leadbetter, Florence A. Gray, Agnes A. Dudley, Marion R. Quinn, Elizabeth A. Flaherty, Mary A. Flaherty, Ruth Murphy, Alice C. Gray, Bernice M. Quill, Mary E. Coffey, Nora H. Lamy, Anna H. Rouine, Helen Blessington, Grace A. McMahon, Anna J. Masterson, Mary T. Hearn, Mary F. Morris, Dorothy L. Driscoll, Alice W. McMahon, Elizabeth M. Hanson, Mary Early, Christine A. Mitchell, Catherine M. Cahill, Christine Lowrey.



CHAIRMAN THOMAS B. DELANEY

young women in the recent teachers' examination that he made his statement to the committee. Instead of announcing the list, Mr. Molloy read carefully and slowly the following prepared statement in which his allegations against Chairman Delaney were made.

Supt. Molloy's Statement

The superintendent then read the following statement to the members of the committee:

Lowell, Mass., July 26, 1921.
To the School Committee of the City of Lowell:

Gentlemen:—In May, 1920, under the seal of the city of Lowell, an advertisement was published in the city papers of a public examination of applicants for Lowell teachers' certificates of the third grade.

The rules of the school committee set forth that from such examination no more than a stated number, said number having been previously designated by the committee, would be selected as teachers.

The rules further prescribed that the examination should be in charge of the superintendent of schools, that the questions for the examination should be prepared by some public school department other than that of Lowell and forwarded by mail or express in a sealed envelope to the superintendent, who should open the same at the hour set for the examination, that the papers of the applicants should be identified by number only and sent by mail or express to the framer of the questions for correction, that the corrected papers should be returned in a sealed envelope, with the list of numbers arranged in order of beginning with the highest and ending with the lowest, and that such envelope should be opened by the superintendent or by some person whom the committee

EVERYBODY SEES A BIG CHANGE IN HER

Mrs. Rivard Doesn't Look Like She Was Ever Sick a Day—Feels Splendid

"From now on when I hear anyone of my family complaining I intend to start giving them Tanlac right then, for the way it has helped me certainly proves it to be the best medicine in the world," was the emphatic statement made by Mrs. Delvina Rivard, 22 Lawrence st., Taunton, Mass.

"Two years ago I had a severe case of 'flu,' which left me in a general run down condition. My health was very poor and I seemed to be going from bad to worse all the time. I had no appetite at all, nothing tasted good to me, and I got very little sleep. My nerves were so undone I felt miserable all the time and I was so weak I couldn't even do my housework."

"But since taking Tanlac I think I am the happiest woman in the world, and can do my housework just as easily as I ever could in my life. I sleep well, too, and to look at me one wouldn't think I ever had a sick day in my life. My family say I am the most changed person they ever saw, and I really look and feel years younger since taking Tanlac. Tanlac will certainly be our household medicine from now on."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's drug store under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative; by Wright Drug Co., Lowell, Mass.; A. D. Falls, Chelmsford, Mass.; Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggists in every town.—Adv.

should designate in the presence and at a public meeting of the committee. The examination was held on Saturday, June 26, 1920, and there were 60 applicants.

Before the results had been received the committee decided at a meeting on June 29, 1920, that 25 permanent substitutes would be needed for the following year, and as a consequence the examiner was directed to send the highest 25 ranks and the corresponding numbers; this action was in accordance with that provision of the rules which read as follows: "The committee shall grant certificates in order of rank to as many persons as it deems necessary—and holders of such certificates shall be employed as far as vacancies exist as permanent substitutes." At this meeting there was considerable discussion as to



SUPT. HUGH J. MOLLOY

getting the ranks of the lower 25 who had taken the examination and the committee voted that the remainder of the ranks be obtained on request not later than Jan. 1, 1921.

At a public meeting on July 16, 1920, the envelope which had been received from the examiner was opened and the numbers and ranks of the 25 persons who comprised the higher 25 of the applicants were disclosed; at the same time two envelopes which had been prepared by the superintendent for the purpose of numbering and identifying the papers of the applicants and which had been sealed and endorsed at the time of the examination by the superintendent and the two masters who had assisted him in the examination were opened and the identification of the highest 25 was made. The persons so identified were elected permanent substitutes at once to serve as the needs of the department might require, with the understanding that they should become regularly-certified elementary teachers at the end of the following school year; one person only failed to accept appointment at a permanent substitute.

In January of the present year Hon-

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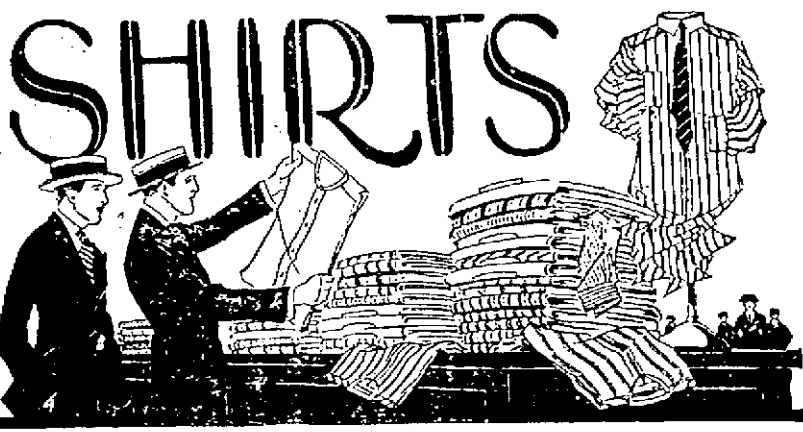
A big assortment of Crepe de Chine and Georgette Over-Blouses in white and flesh. Semi-tailored and lace trimmed. Sizes 36 to 42. Special price..... \$2.98

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Adventures of The Twins

WILLOW-TREE POOL



"There's something up," said Sprinkle-Blow to Nancy and Nick, "so suppose we go down to the earth and find out what Marty Mink and Cob Coon want with Blackie Bass. Blackie is an old friend of mine and no matter how hot or how cold the weather is, he never complains. He never minds a storm or a flood, and howly thunder for him at all. I like nice patient Blackie and if he is in danger, I think that we'd better help him."

"Well," said Nancy, very sensibly, "it isn't too late. I can go back to West Wind's house and tell him not to blow any clouds over the moon."

"And I can tell South Wind not to make the water muddy," suggested Nick.

"West Wind has already gone," said Sprinkle-Blow. "I can hear him roaring. And South Wind, too, for

I see a cloud of dust down on the earth next to Ripple Creek now. She is keeping her promise. Come on. The best we can do now is to go at once and see what is happening."

Down they went then under Sprinkle-Blow's magic umbrella to the place where Blackie Bass lived in the pool under the willow-tree. But they couldn't see Blackie at all, for the water, usually so clear and limpid, was as yellow as Dory Duck's tail. After a while Mr. Moon started to come up, but he'd scarcely showed the top of his bald head, when huff! a black cloud pushed its way impolitely over his face. After that the world was very dark, for of course Mr. Sun had gone to his bed over in the sky behind the high hills.

"Come," whispered Sprinkle-Blow, "let's hide."

(To Be Continued)

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THE COST OF KINDNESS

Tramp's Benefactor, Reformed Convict, is Recognized as Fugitive and Jailed

BY NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 25.—Ten years ago H. C. Rawlings, Arkansas, escaped under gunfire from the Ark-



H. C. RAWLINGS

was State farm after serving only four months of a five-year sentence. For six years he traveled from coast to coast, constantly in fear of capture. Fear wore off, and four years ago, he went to Limon, Col., and married. He was a model husband. After three years in the railroad shops there,

TO ABANDON SEVEN WAR-TIME CANTONMENTS

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The war department was proceeding with plans today for the practical abandonment of seven of the great war time cantonments, together with a general redistribution and reorganization of army units based on a reduction in enlisted strength to 150,000 by July 31. In announcing that the reduction required by the current appropriation measure must be accomplished by that date, Secretary Weeks said the new army program involved the placement of many organizations on the inactive list and the reduction of others to only skeleton strength.

While planning the eventual removal of all troops from the cantonments to be vacated, Secretary Weeks said the land would not be sold but retained, together with all utilities and improvements such as storerooms, water systems and railroad tracks, with a view to possible future use in connection with the citizens' military training camps. It is proposed to salvage the greater part of the buildings, he said.

FIRE CHIEF OVERCOME

Chief Saunders Overcome by Smoke and Fireman Injured at Cellar Fire

While fighting a fire in the cellar of the Surety Shoe Stores Co., in Paige st. last evening, District Chief Saunders was overcome by smoke, while Fireman Berry Simpson received injuries to his leg. Both men were taken to their respective homes. Dist. Chief Saunders was able to resume his work today, but it will be several days before Mr. Simpson will be able to get around again.

The fire was discovered shortly after 11 o'clock by Patrolman William Murphy, who sent in an alarm from Box 28, and a quick run to the scene was effected by the department. Upon their arrival, the firemen saw smoke issuing from the office of E. A. Wilson & Co., and they forced their way into the place to find that the blaze was in the adjoining cellar, directly under the shoe store. The fire was put out shortly afterwards and before any serious damage was done.

While the firemen were laying lines of hose to combat the flames, one of them burst on the sidewalk and as a result many spectators received a thorough drenching. A second conflagration broke before the firemen succeeded in sending a stream into the cellar and this resulted in keeping the crowd at a safe distance.

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School Board Meeting Continued

There was one of considerable importance and he thought that the superintendent's communication should be laid on the table.

Mr. Molloy said he was ready to take oath on the spot that his statements were true, but Chairman Delaney pounded on the table and called to order. It was finally voted to postpone action on the matter until Tuesday next at 5 p. m. When asked if the meeting would be an executive session, Chairman Delaney replied that he did not know. Supt. Molloy, however, said that he would proceed in the matter in no meeting except a public one.

Routine Matters
The committee took action on many routine matters. Ruth K. Boulger was given a certificate of the second grade. The resignation of Ethna J. Rundquist as a temporary teacher in the Vocational school was accepted.

A committee consisting of Supt. Molloy and Headmaster Henry H. Harris of the high school was appointed to interview a number of applicants for high school vacancies among the men teachers and to report to the committee at a later date.

On recommendation of Mr. Harris and Supt. Molloy the following were given their first election to the high school teaching force: Anna L. McGuire, Helen Whitcomb, Rachel Woodworth, Anne Reynolds, Gladys Movia, Hildegarde St. Onge, William A. Donovan and Joseph M. Donoghue. The following permanent substitutes were elected at a salary \$200 less than the minimum of the regular teachers' scale: Ethelred Willmott, Martin Connors and Louise McKenna. The following teachers were elected to the Vocational school on recommendation of the superintendent: Andrew J. Moynihan, M. Helena Regan, Helen G. Polycutt and Harry M. Tabor. Chairman Delaney opposed Mr. Tabor's election. Helen Gilbride was elected physical



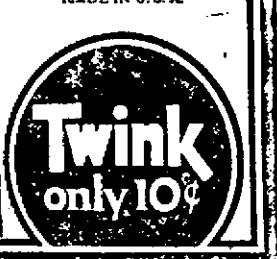
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Instructor in the elementary schools. Maj. Walter R. Jeyes recommended that Frederick Desmond and Charles B. Naguire be elected physical instructors, but inasmuch as the recommendation was not made by the superintendent, Mr. Bergeron declared that they were illegal. The recommendations of Maj. Jeyes were defeated, 3 to 2. Chairman Delaney and Mr. Donnelly being in favor.

Miss Tobin of the high school staff was granted a year's leave of absence. At the request of the park department the committee voted to establish cooking classes in the Merrill school for the North common playground.

The request of a committee of Lithuanian residents that they be allowed the use of the Charles street school for the purpose of giving instruction in their native tongue was refused when the city solicitor's opinion to the effect that such procedure would be illegal was received.

It was voted to install a manual training room at the Morey school, to provide a domestic science bungalow at that school, to change the gymnasium floor at the Bartlett school and to buy a four cylinder truck for the use of the department to cost not more than \$1200. The chairman and business agent were authorized to locate the department's portable schools for the opening of the fall term.

The proposition to buy a six-cylinder coupe for the superintendent to replace his present car was laid on the table.

It was voted to authorize a contract with the Lowell Electric Light corporation for electric lighting at the new high school for ten years.

Recommendations of James T. Gear



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No matter how perfect the features or how prettily groomed, if your complexion is marred by a pimple or ugly blemish, you cannot possess complete beauty. Facial blemishes can be easily removed by the use of Black and White Beauty Bleach.

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Thursday Specials

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TO CLOSE—40 Volle and Organdie Dresses, light and dark colors, smart, new styles; values that sold for three or four times as much; sizes 16 to 42. Thursday Special **\$1.98**

White Wash Skirts, made of good gabardine, sport style; regular \$1.50 values. Thursday Special **\$1.00**

Women's Tights, of heavy-black jersey; regular \$1.25 values. Thursday Special, **79¢**

Flexo Form Corsets, in broken sizes; regular \$3.50 model. Thursday Special, **\$1.98**

White Corsets, low bust, average model, sizes to 24; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special **79¢**

Bandeaux of fine mesh, white or flesh, different models, sizes 32 to 44. Thursday Special **35¢**

Porto Rican Waists, hand made from fine French voile, trimmed with drawn work or seed embroidery. Thursday Special **\$2.50**

Volle Waists, all white or with colored collar and cuffs, all sizes. Thursday Special **49¢**

Boys' Suspenders, very good elastic, well made; regular 89¢ value. Thursday Special, **25¢**

Narrow Leather Belts, in pretty shade of brown; regular 59¢ value. Thursday Special **47¢**

Bead Necklaces, large assortment of styles and colors. Thursday Special **85¢**

Leather Hand Bags, black, dark or light brown; regular \$1.98 values. Thursday Special **\$1.59**

Cawthorne Lotion for sunburn; regular 50¢ value. Thursday Special. **37¢**

Melba Massage Cream, good for the skin; regular 50¢ value. Thursday Special **40¢**

Winnie Winkle Aprons, cute style, made of fine gingham, assorted patterns; regular 89¢ values. Thursday Special **39¢**

Skirt Aprons, of extra good percale, large bib, trimmed with rick-rack braid; regular 80¢ value. Thursday Special **59¢**

Women's Silk and Fibre Hose, seam fashioned, black, white and cordovan; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special **55¢**

Dropstitch Hose of fine silk lisle, women's sizes; regular 50¢ value. Thursday Special **39¢**

Children's Silk Lisle Socks, plain colors with fancy tops; regular 49¢ values. Thursday Special **29¢**

Children's Hose, fine rib, black and cordovan. Thursday Special **9¢**

Women's Union Suits of summer weight jersey, low necks, sleeveless, tight or loose knee, sizes 36 and 38 only; regular 59¢ values. Thursday Special **35¢**

Infants' Summer Vests, high neck, short sleeves, sizes 2 to 5; regular 25¢ value. Thursday Special **10¢**

Women's Summer Union Suits of lisle, low neck, sleeveless, band top, loose or tight knee; regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Thursday Special **69¢**

Women's High White Shoes, canvas, mostly small sizes; also an odd lot of sneakers. Thursday Special **50¢**

Boys' Wash Suits, Oliver Twist, Elton and Middy styles, 3 to 8 years; regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special **98¢**

Boys' Union Suits, halbriggan, sizes 20, 22 and 24; regular 50¢ value. Thursday Special **29¢**

Boys' Blouses, light stripes or dark colors, sport and negligee styles; regular 50¢ value. Thursday Special **39¢**

Children's Rompers, gingham, chambray and galatea, in pink, blue and tan, 2 to 6 years. Thursday Special **65¢**

Babies' Silk and Wool Shirts, sizes 3 months to 3 years; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special **89¢**

Children's Sleeveless Dresses, in pink, blue or white linen, leather belts, pockets; regular \$1.50 values. Thursday Special, **\$1.19**

Babies' Wool Sweaters, white, with pink or blue trimming, sizes 22-24; regular \$1.79 value. Thursday Special **98¢**

Bloomers of flesh colored cotton, reinforced seat, hemstitched ruffles; regular 50¢ value. Thursday Special **39¢**

Women's Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners. Thursday Special **4¢**

Adults' Tooth Brushes, fine or coarse bristles; regular 25¢ value. Thursday Special **18¢**

Turkish Face Cloths, usual size. Thursday Special **5¢**

Palmolive Laundry Soap. Thursday Special **5¢**

Women's Neckwear, white or cream, several styles, slightly soiled; 59¢ value. Thursday Special. **33¢**

Women's Gowns, of figured flesh colored crepe, kimona style, square necks, fancy stitching; regular \$1.69 values. Thursday Special **\$1.29**

Children's Boots and Mary Jane Pumps, of white canvas, sizes 2 to 8; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special **75¢**

Children's Ankle Ties, Rice & Hutchins make, hand turned, black and tan, sizes up to 7; regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special, **\$1**

An Odd Lot of Women's Low Shoes, different styles, all sizes. Thursday Special, **98¢**

Girls' High White Boots, of good canvas, sizes to 2; regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 values. Thursday Special **\$1.75**

Boys' Black Gun Metal Shoes, made of fine leather, with good wearing soles, all sizes up to 6. Thursday Special **\$1.98**

Men's Black Vici Boots, Goodyear welt, fine quality soles and rubber heels, easy fitting last, all sizes; regular \$4.00 value. Thursday Special **\$2.65**

Men's Overalls and Jumpers, union made, from heavy blue and white stifle stripe; regular \$1 value. Thursday special, each, **50¢**

Men's Night Shirts, of good wearing, white cotton, size 15 only; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special **59¢**

Men's Cotton Half Hose, in black and tan; regular 15¢ value. Thursday Special, **10¢**

Men's Negligee Shirts, in white and aeroplane line, collar attached; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special **89¢**

Two U. S. Aviators Killed at Coblenz

COBLENZ, July 27.—Two American aviators, Lieut. Carl Derp Gunther, of Frankfort, Ind., and Corporal L. O. Rogers of Hillsboro, Tex., were killed yesterday when their airplane crashed in flames at Wiesenthurm Field, near here.

Aged Couple Die of Suffocation

NEW BEDFORD, July 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Edmond McCoy, aged people, died early today of suffocation as a result of a fire which slightly damaged their home. Firemen found them both unconscious. They died on the way to a hospital.

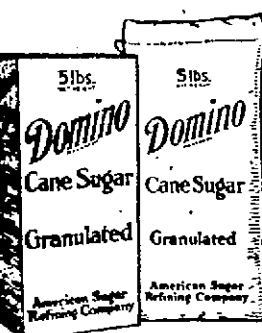
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THE LOWELL SUN JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor

WOMEN SHOULD COME OUT In the coming special election there is an issue involved that appeals very strongly to the women of Lowell. It is whether the citizens can take any steps to remedy the disgraceful condition of our streets within a reasonable time. The municipal council was appealed to in vain and now the citizens have resorted to the initiative provision of the charter to get a decision from the electorate.

The question in effect is this: Shall the city of Lowell have the permanent construction or reconstruction of streets done by contract in open competition, and with Lowell labor, if obtainable, employed? The politicians at city hall have raised the cry that this movement is opposed to labor and that the contractors will rob the city. The object of this movement is to give us more smooth-paved streets at a much lower cost than we can get it done by the street department and to give the city its money's worth in street construction. At the present time the city can get about \$3 per square yard and can get the granite block paving done at perhaps \$1 or \$1.50 per yard, such as cost more than twice as much when they were laid by the street department.

How can this injury labor? Let the employees of the department be put to work on repairing the streets that are cut up by traffic. There are 105 miles of street in Lowell in very poor condition; 35 miles in fair condition, and 19 miles in good or very good condition. Year after year an appeal was made to the street department to put repair gangs to work; but in no case was a repair gang put on and kept at work in a systematic manner. Had that simple expedient been adopted, our streets would not be cut up as they are today. The condition is so bad now that it will require the entire department to do repair work while the contractors are laying smooth paving. By that means we can soon have first class streets in every part of the city.

This can be accomplished only if the permanent paving jobs be done by contract. If by the street department, the expense would be two, or three times what it should be and the area for a given amount proportionately less than it should be. It is charged by some that contractors have been detected in crooked business in other cities and that they would do the same here.

Contractors cheat any city except the city officials join them in a conspiracy for that purpose. But if contractors give a bond for the proper completion of the work in accordance with the specifications, and if they lay block paving for one-third of what it costs when laid by the city, wherein does the robbery appear? Or, if it be robbery to lay such paving at from \$3.75 to \$1.75 per square yard, how will the transaction be described when it costs \$10 to \$15 per square yard as appears from the 1920 figures. The total appropriation for paving was \$71,891.38 and the yardage 5,835.84, which would make the cost per yard \$12.34, which seems most extraordinary. The street officials claim the cost per yard was only about one-half that figure, but that would not explain the total expenditure for paving in 1920.

This city has reached a point at which its paving equipment is not big enough to meet the demands upon it. The powers that be at city hall refused to let any work be done by contract. The issue, therefore, is plain—better streets at less than it has cost in the past for the poor streets and yet more men at work instead of fewer, with equally good wages for the right men. It is useless for city hall to begin to fight the people, but that is what is proposed at the present time. It is, therefore, the duty of the women to get into this movement and help to put it across. It is for the benefit of the city hall employees who include the city hall employees who are out to oppose the petition of the chamber of commerce now before the people on a referendum.

A MENACING SITUATION It is a condition and not a theory that confronts the people of Lowell in connection with the tariff bill now under consideration by the senate. In this bill, as it now stands, the needs of New England textile manufacturers are gravely overlooked. How menacing the situation is, is told in the following statement by a careful investigator in the Boston Herald: "The mills today are not making money. They are not making money still doing it. To keep a job for their employees. But that cannot go on forever, and they cannot survive such a shock as the proposed tariff would deliver. It would mean that the many mills would go out of business. With them the maintenance of our standards, and with that the distress of the whole state and New England. This is not a time when a high tariff, a tariff for revenue only, or no tariff at all is a subject for more than academic discussion. The plain truth of the matter is, that a highly protective tariff bill is being framed in congress. In this bill, unless changes are made, the products of New England mills are left open to competition with the factories of Europe. That finished products can be manufactured abroad and landed in this country at a much lower price than our own manufacturers can turn them out at is patent to everyone. That the foreign producers are anxious to secure an outlet for their goods over here is equally well known. The appeals of the New England mill men for adequate protection have thus far fallen on deaf ears. Unless pressure is brought to bear to bring about a change in the bill as it was sent to the senate, it would seem that there could be but one result and that would be compulsory closing down of the standards of living here by the goods which will come from Europe. In Massachusetts, why for not, it behooves the people of this section to start a movement speedily that will safeguard their interests. It is hoped the senate will remedy the vital defects of the bill as it was sent from the house."

FIX THE HYDRANTS Information that is startling is conveyed in the first instalment of a report on fire hazards in this city made by inspectors of the New England Insurance Exchange and the National Board of Fire Underwriters upon request of the chamber of commerce. An almost unprecedented neglect for gross and inexcusable neglect to properly perform the function with which it is charged is drawn against some department of the city department. Here are some of the counts in the presentment: The inspectors have made inspections in many cities and in no instance have they found fire hydrants in such defective condition as in Lowell. Most cities clean and oil their hydrants at least twice a year. Here this has been entirely neglected and many hydrants were found so badly rusted and corroded as to greatly reduce their efficiency. It was found difficult to remove hydrant caps and, in some cases, turn the water on. It does not require the use of imagination to picture what may happen at any time in Lowell as a consequence of the way in which the fire hydrants have been neglected. The success of the science of successful fire-fighting is based on getting water turned upon a blaze. A very short space of time may be sufficient to give a destructive conflagration a chance to get under way. Now that attention has been called to the existing condition of affairs, steps cannot be taken too quickly to bring about the necessary improvement. The title of champion easy marks may be lost to Lowell's victims if some of Boston's bankers continue to be seduced by sharp tricksters.

A VICIOUS MEASURE All the women behind the Sheppard maternity bill except one are spinsters. The plan is copied from Germany. These spinsters will have full power in every part of the United States to investigate pregnant women and assign midwives instead of doctors. Senator Moses of New Hampshire calls them the "Meddlesome Matrons" a good name for them certainly. Mr. Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau, has published surveys and reports based upon the influence years and reflecting upon American communities. She also recommends bonuses to illegitimate mothers and where poor parents have large families she will doubtless advise the necessity of birth control. These evils are to be spread at large throughout the country through the Sheppard-Towner maternity bill should it become law, which in the interest of orderly government, state rights and the putting an end to bureaucracy should be defeated.

THE DYE EMBARGO The Manchester Union in a recent issue had a strong editorial against the proposed embargo upon foreign-made dyes. It says "sound economy, traditional republican policy and a proper regard for the future development of the dye industry so that we can be independent of foreign-made dyes, all may be rallied to the support of Senator Moses and his colleagues who oppose the unreasonable demand of the dye interests." The proposed embargo is inimical to the great textile business in which New England is so greatly concerned and if adopted would prove an actual handicap to the normal and proper development of the dye-making business itself. The Fordney bill has the peculiar quality of going to opposite extremes in a manner that would give one industry a monopoly and subject others to destructive foreign competition.

THE CONCORD This hot spell has again brought a recurrence of the offensive odors from the Concord river. These have been traced to the beam house of the American Hide and Leather Company above the Rogers street bridge. The company has a filter bed there which is supposed to neutralize much of the offensive material passing out from the beam house. It appears probable that much liquid and other material is only for the underground sewers is passing into the river from that plant. It is a matter that constitutes a serious menace to the public health. Sometimes we are inclined to think that all of the examples of gross inefficiency and wastefulness are found in connection with governmental operations. But the Boston Herald has just got around to discussing a branch line that produced a revenue last year of \$1713 with operating expenses of \$12,510. A report of the statistics division of the Massachusetts department of labor and industries says that "merchandise is gradually reducing prices." "Merchandise" will think that "gradually" in the statement. A not inapplicable punishment for the citizen who intends to vote "No" in the coming initiative election would be to sentence him to ride continuously for awhile over some of Lowell's recent streets. Evidently Superintendent Welch failed to knock on wood when he made the boast that Lowell is exempt from auto thieves. Our "floating bars" are on wheels and they come from Canada.

SEEN AND HEARD

The nearest thing to being broke is to have the price and want a glass of beer. Some men's idea of a vacation is where they can go with a khaki suit and a \$2 bill for a stay of two weeks and not change either one.

There are at least three men in Lowell whose veracity never would have been doubted if they hadn't gone fishing. A chaplain was noted for his ready wit. While traveling on a steamboat a notorious sharper, who wished to get into his good graces, said: "Father, I should like very much to hear one of your sermons." "Well," said the clergyman, "you could have heard the last Sunday if you had been where you should have been." "Where was that, pray?" "In the county jail."

Kidding Himself "Hello, Dixon! How's things?" "Couldn't be better. I was never doing so well in my life. I've got \$100 in my pocket at this very moment." "Good—good! I'm glad to hear it—delighted." "Yes \$100—\$100. You understand?" "Yes, I congratulate you." "But you believe me, don't you? One hundred dollars—a hundred dollars." "So you said. Why do you keep repeating it?" "Well, as a matter of fact I'm testing that story about a fellow repeating a yarn until he comes to believe it himself. I expect to thoroughly convince myself about Thursday. You might lend me five till then, will you?"

Playing the Rubs It was a little English country farmhouse that took in boarders, and for the merry month of May and June it was crowded with pale citizens, glad to get away from their smoke and dirt to breathe air for a few weeks. There was the delight of the country life, and they would go into ecstatic raptures over the crowing of the roosters and the croaking of the frogs. Farmer Hayseed, scythe in hand, lumbered up to the house. He had brownish-red whiskers, full of hay and straw. Mrs. Hayseed, plain and very rural, came to meet him. "Garge," she said, "beant it tolins yew wuz drivin' to thuh station to meet Lunnon tinner. Our city friends be a comin' to thuh air for a few weeks. There's the delight of the country life, and they would go into ecstatic raptures over the crowing of the roosters and the croaking of the frogs. Farmer Hayseed, scythe in hand, lumbered up to the house. He had brownish-red whiskers, full of hay and straw. 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HM! IT'S A PRETTY FAIR PAPER!



Here's Tom Edison giving the Marion Star the double O. The fellow sitting on his left is the owner of the paper—President Harding. On Edison's right, earnestly talking with Harding, is Henry Ford. This picture was snapped at the camp of H. S. Firestone, Ford, Edison and other great Americans in the Maryland mountains.

MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM COMMISSION MEETS

A meeting of the Memorial Auditorium commission was held this morning at 10 o'clock for the consideration of routine business. Delegations from the Electrical Contractors' association and Electrical Workers' union were present and inquired as to the reason for the substitution on part of the wiring of the Auditorium of BX ducts for solid steel tubing. The delegations were informed that the substitution was being made by permission of the architect, and under instructions from the commission, to secure whatever economies were possible and, inasmuch as the contractor has made a reasonable rebate and the ducts are satisfactory to the electrical inspectors, the delegations expressed themselves as being perfectly satisfied.

How to be Rid of Dangerous Dandruff

If you have dandruff you must get rid of it quick—it's positively dangerous and will surely destroy your hair if you don't. Dandruff heads mean faded, brittle, gray, scraggly hair that will not grow—then you are bald and nothing can help you. The only sure way to abolish dandruff for good is to destroy the germ that causes it. To do this quickly, surely and safely there is nothing as effective as Parisian sage, which you can get at any good druggists. Your druggist will guarantee to keep away all dandruff, stop itching scalp and falling hair, and stimulate a new growth, at the cost, small as it is, will be refunded. Parisian sage is a scientific preparation that supplies all hair needs—an antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy, easy to use, and daintily perfumed.—Adv.

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Agree To Take Up Tax Legislation

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Virtual agreement was said today to have been reached at a dinner conference at the White House last night for senate consideration of tax revision legislation before the permanent tariff act is taken up by that body. A number of senators were President Harding's guests and the legislative situation was said to have been discussed extensively.

Japan's Acceptance Reaches Washington

WASHINGTON, July 27.—A communication from Tokio, believed to contain formal acceptance by Japan of President Harding's invitation to participate in an international discussion of far eastern questions as well as disarmament, reached the state department today. Pending decoding and examination officials refused to comment on the nature of the communication and had made no decision as to its publication.

Co-ordinate Purchasing Offices

WASHINGTON, July 27.—An executive order to co-ordinate purchasing for the army, navy and shipping board and permit transfer of surplus supplies from one government agency to another, was signed today by President Harding. It was drafted under Director Dawes of the budget bureau and divides the country into zones corresponding to army corps areas for supply purchasing with a general purchasing agent for each area, all working under a purchasing supervisor in Washington.

Raid Alleged Vice Den

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conducted the raid. The persons arrested are Mrs. Winifred McGovern of Medford and Andrew Young, Ralph Jones, Walter Bacon and Joseph Shepard, who also claim to live in Medford.

According to the police, Joseph McGovern, husband of one of the prisoners, claims that his wife left his home last week and took with her a young child of which she is the mother.

After a search, McGovern claims he succeeded in locating his wife and child in the Silver Lake camp Sunday night. He took the child home with him, and Monday the mother returned to her husband. The next day, the police say, Mrs. McGovern told her husband she had obtained work out of town and then left home again. The woman was again traced to the Silver Lake camp.

Last night McGovern applied to the Tewksbury police to assist him in securing the return of his wife to her home. Officer A. G. Kelly made an investigation with the result that he came to Lowell last night about 10 o'clock and applied for a warrant and enlisted the services of local officers to assist him in serving it on the inmates of the camp.

Arriving at the camp, the officers found all lights out and windows and doors barred. Demands for admission failed to bring any response. Force was therefore resorted to to gain entrance to the place.

The officers claim that they found all five of the arrested parties in bed. They were compelled to arise and dress hurriedly for an early morning ride to the Lowell police station.

Mrs. McGovern, an attractive young woman, and the other four defendants were called before Judge Pickman in police court this morning. On request of Officer Kelly, the cases against them were continued to Saturday. Bonds were fixed at \$400.

More than 100 different sweet potato products have been developed in the United States.

About one-third of the half million motor cars in New York state are registered from the city of New York.

Divorce Tangle

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attempted to straighten out the complicated tangle.

Counsel for Dennis claim that he was divorced from the complainant in New Hampshire four years ago.

Attorney for the complainant told the court he believed he could prove that not only had the divorce been obtained by fraud, but that assumed names had been used at the time of the marriage. He insisted that the court had jurisdiction to decide on the facts involved in the case.

Counsel for Dennis claimed that the validity of the divorce could only be attacked in the New Hampshire court which granted it.

Comity between states, practices of the swift-running divorce mills of Nevada, and the results that might follow if police courts should undertake to determine the validity of divorces granted in other states all came in for consideration.

Judge Pickman finally decided that he did not feel certain that he had a right to try the issues involved in the case, and a continuance to Sept. 1 was ordered.

NOW—ALL TOGETHER



VOTE "NO"

You Veterans of the World War Who Are Out of Jobs

Did you read this item in Tuesday's Courier-Citizen? Does it mean anything to you as you walk the streets?

READ THIS:

HURT AT AUDITORIUM

Falling from a ladder while at work on the new Auditorium, about 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning, John Mazukelli of Mattapan sustained a fractured skull and was removed to St. John's hospital.—Courier-Citizen.

We are sorry for John Mazukelli of Mattapan, even though he isn't a citizen of Lowell.

John Mazukelli of Mattapan is a contract laborer working for small wages on the big Auditorium job. When the Board of Trade went to the Legislature during the war and wanted a million dollars for a Memorial Building to the heroes of the war—

They also said that the erection of this building would mean jobs for the boys when they got home from the trenches.

But did any soldiers get work under this contract labor job?

We do not know whether John Mazukelli is black or white—but we know that he is not a Lowell man and we know that he is a contract laborer.

YET THEY PROMISED THESE JOBS TO YOU BOYS WHO WON THE WAR.

Now the Chamber of Commerce is promising that Lowell labor will be employed if the streets are built by contract labor.

Lowell labor will be employed under one condition by these contractors—

They will be employed if they will accept \$2.00 a day instead of \$4.25 a day.

THAT MEANS THERE WILL BE NO LOWELL LABOR.

It means another shipment to Lowell of outside labor to do city work.

Is there a service man in Lowell who will vote for contract labor?

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TO DETERMINE SEMI-FINALISTS

BOSTON, July 27.—The Longwood tennis singles play today was to determine the semi-finalists. R. N. Williams, 2nd, met Ichio Kumagae, Wallace F. Johnson was opposed by K. S. Pfaffman, Phil Neer, intercollegiate champion, was matched with Wallace Bates, another California collegian and Zenza Shimidzu of Japan, played against N. W. Niles. The latter defeated Willis E. Davis yesterday in four sets, after the Pacific coast player won the first set in 20 games. Play in the doubles tournament was

JAPAN DECIDES TO PARTICIPATE

TOKIO, July 27. (By the Associated Press.)—The Japanese cabinet has decided to accept participation in the proposed conference on far eastern problems, the Associated Press was informed yesterday. It is understood the Japanese answer will be forwarded to Washington in the near future.

APPEALS SENTENCE TO HOUSE OF CORRECTION

Thomas Park was before Judge Pickman in the local police court this morning, charged with being the father of an illegitimate child. An unusual feature of the case was the introduction of medical testimony. The defendant was found guilty and sentenced to two months in the house of correction. He appealed and was held in bonds of \$500.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cohen and their children of this city had a narrow escape from serious injury last evening when the automobile in which they

were riding was struck by a south-bound freight train at the Chelmsford Centre railroad crossing. Mrs. Cohen received a badly sprained ankle when she jumped from the machine, but the other occupants escaped with a bad shaking-up. The accident occurred when the automobile became stalled on the car tracks.

TEXTILE WORKERS' CONVENTION NEW YORK, July 27.—The annual convention of the United Textile Workers of America will be held in New York city beginning Sept. 12, instead of in Knoxville, Tenn., as previously arranged. Mrs. Sara A. Conboy, secretary of the union, announced today. This change was decided upon by the executive council, she said, because of the failure of the union to get a suitable hall in Knoxville.

STONE DEAD, WIFE ALIVE

President of Purdue University Lost His Life While Climbing Mountain

Wife Found at Foot of 17-Foot Crevice—Expected to Recover

BANFF, Alaska, July 27.—The body of Dr. W. E. Stone has been found and Mrs. Stone is alive and will recover from the shock of the Mount Eanon tragedy, according to a brief letter from guides leading the searching party received here today.

Mrs. Stone was found Sunday at the foot of a 17-foot crevice and the dead body of Dr. Stone was discovered shortly afterward a great distance below on a very difficult position for recovery. Mrs. Stone has been taken to Camp Assiniboine headquarters and nurses have been sent to care for her.

Dr. Stone, who was president of Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., and his wife, have been missing since July 15, when they left the camp of Mountain climbers for a three-day trip in order to condition themselves for the big Alpine camp meet at Lake O'Hara, this week. Dr. Stone and his wife were both experienced Alpinists.

MacMILLAN'S BOAT IS DAMAGED

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., July 27.—Departure of Donald B. MacMillan and his party for the Arctic will be delayed for several days, it was learned yesterday, because the schooner Bowdoin was damaged last night when she was rammed by the steamer Stella Maris. The Bowdoin lay at the wharf taking on final supplies when the accident occurred. She was struck about 20 feet abaft midships and her seams opened for about 25 feet.

Survivors who examined the vessel later yesterday said that the Bowdoin was but slightly damaged and was ready for the start. The Stella Maris was uninjured.

SHORT SKETCHES OF CITY HALL DWELLERS

John W. Crawford, registrar of the water department, is one of the most painstaking and efficient city hall workers. For years he has kept track



JOHN W. CRAWFORD

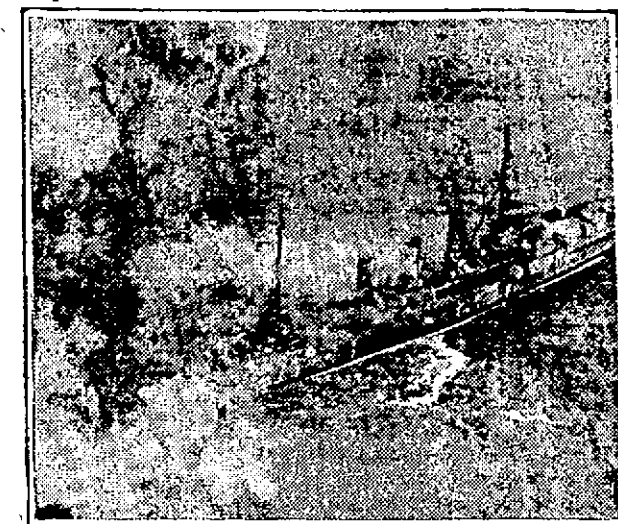
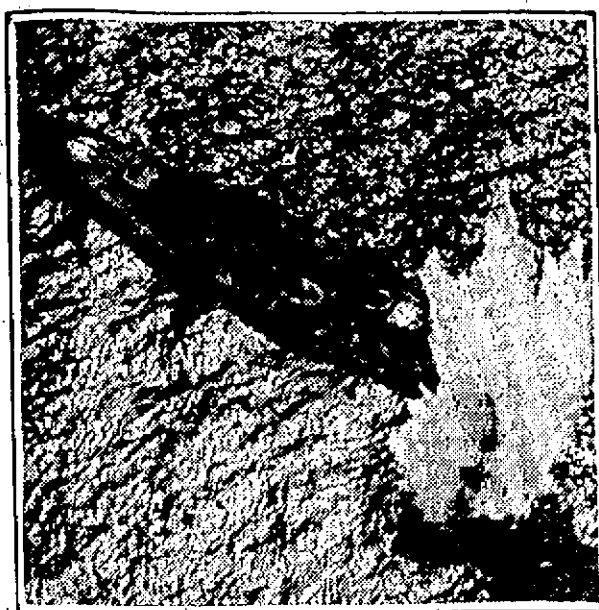
of the mass of details that are the natural products of so large a department as the one in which he is employed. No matter what information concerning the department you wish to obtain, Mr. Crawford can accommodate you, whether it is the amount of a recently negotiated loan or the reason that your water bill is as high as it is. He has everything concerning the department at his finger tips and more than one commissioner has relied to a great extent on Mr. Crawford's judgment and advice in running the department.

Personally, Mr. Crawford is a most interesting and entertaining talker. He doesn't always confine himself to water department topics, but can talk interestingly and informatively on almost any subject. He believes that no matter how old a man is he should endeavor to keep himself physically fit. During the winter months he visits the gymnasium with unfailing regularity while in the summer he may be seen on the golf links as enthusiastic as players many years younger.

ELECTRIC CAR HITS AUTO
A Studebaker automobile owned by Argyes Zarephos of 355 Rogers street, was struck by an electric car in Rogers street last evening and was slightly damaged. The auto became stalled on the car tracks at about 10:30 o'clock and was burned by an electric in charge of Operator Connor. No one was injured.

Fewer people live in Norway, Sweden, Belgium and Holland together than within 200 miles of New York.

DOWN SHE GOES!



The climax of the aerial warfare tests came when the two big ships of the former German navy were sunk off the Virginia Capes, the Ostfriesland and (below) the Frankfurt.

Tufts Case Continued

non-arrival of witnesses, or for other reasons beyond his control. Fletcher Ranney opened for the defense. He explained that the respondent will not try to cover all matters referred to by any one witness, for that would be beyond the strength of the district attorney, but will produce sufficient evidence to prove what lay in his mind, and his intent, so far as it influenced the conduct of his office.

Ranney Reviews Tufts' Career

Mr. Ranney said that Nathan A. Tufts was born in Fitchburg, worked his way through Brown university and became a member of the bar in 1901. He opened an office in Waltham, where he succeeded in a humble way in building up a practice, and in 1910 married, his wife being of a well-to-do family. Her people helped him to buy an apartment house, with garage, the income from which proved substantial. His father had a property worth \$30,000 to \$35,000, which he began to turn over in 1912 when he gave \$10,000 in stock to his son. Nathan A. Tufts was elected to the house and senate. In 1916, he was elected district attorney for the northern district. It was about this time that his father turned over the remainder of his property, about \$20,000. The father died in 1918.

More Than 2500 Cases

As district attorney, Mr. Tufts soon found it impossible, explained Mr. Ranney, to undertake in the old-fashioned way to try every case. The total number of cases annually averaged 2500 to 3000, and there were only 50 trial days a year. The practical result was that it soon became apparent to him that only the serious cases could be tried. Some relief was obtained by special sessions arranged for with the aid of the chief justice of the superior court. Two years ago a bill was introduced into the legislature, and passed last year, providing for 10 months continuous session of the criminal court, so that nearly all the serious cases will henceforth be tried.

Mr. Ranney said he would refer in his opening only to three or four of the major cases brought up in the allegations. Taking up the Mishawum Manor case, with its charges of conspiracy to extort \$100,000, he declared that in all the vast amount of testimony no connection had been made with Tufts. At not one of all the conferences as to which so much testimony no connection had been made with Tufts present, nor was Coakley, nor Corcoran, also charged with conspiracy with Tufts.

Mishawum Manor Case

"Never," said Mr. Ranney, "in any of these conferences of people hostile to Mr. Tufts was it said that he was a man who had been bought or could be." "In this Mishawum Manor case," he continued, "the chief of police of Woburn wanted prosecution and gave the names of witnesses who had testified in the lower court, but Coakley took three prominent, respectable business men to Mr. Tufts, and they agreed that they had done anything wrong, further than to buy liquor after hours. Mr. Tufts said he wanted to make an investigation and would allow three before bringing indictment. He made threats and promises. There was no evidence that he did. He sent for two girls who had testified in the lower court, one of them Teresa Sears, who has testified in the pending pro-

ceedings, and her testimony did not vary materially from what she told Mr. Tufts. It was in the effect that she saw nothing wrong."

Then Mr. Ranney related that Councilor Wright called on Tufts, and made representations that had weight as to the innocence of the men. But the girl disappeared, and Mr. Tufts wrote to Coakley complaining that somebody was tampering with the witnesses. The opinion of Wright, reinforced by Atty-Gen. Altwell and Charles H. Innes, that there had been nothing wrong done by the moving-picture men was weighed, but the summonses for the grand jury went out. Mr. Tufts being in doubt. The condition of the evidence appeared weakened.

Wanted No More Scandal

Then the chief of police of Woburn (now dead) came to Tufts and urged that it would be better not to have any more scandal about Woburn. That "Brownie" Kennedy would get out of town and stay out if let off with a fine, and the disorderly house charges not pressed. Tufts would not agree, but insisted that there must be proof of her good faith and so had the latter pressed until a year and a half afterward in November, 1918.

"Mrs. Kennedy," continued Mr. Ranney, "was not then the celebrity she has since become. If Capt. Gordon helped to obtain the releases in that case—and he denies it—Mr. Tufts has no knowledge of it. Coakley says he got the releases. Anyway, there has been an end to claims and complaints." As for the Lillian Morse case, Tufts has no memory regarding it, but denies that he ever knew Morse and Kennedy were the same woman.

As for the Stearns case, Mr. Ranney said that Mrs. Stearns consulted Tufts about obtaining a divorce. "She brought letters and a pair of women's white gloves that had been cleansed, and told stories of habits connected with the gloves on the part of her husband too indelicate for me to describe here. She showed the letter which had contained the gloves from a Waltham woman, which she regarded as very significant. She left Liberty bond for charges, having no money."

Denies Story Told By Mrs. Brown

Mr. Ranney continued that Mrs. Stearns came a second time, bringing Mrs. Brown. Tufts knew Mrs. Brown, but her story of the interview is "incorrect." Tufts told Mrs. Stearns that although her letter was enough to awaken suspicion, it was not enough to make a case. Mrs. Stearns insisted that she was positive her husband was unfaithful with women in the south as well as in Waltham. Tufts said he must withdraw from the case if she wished to push it on the ground of adultery. Both women agreed that Tufts ought to take the case, but Tufts responded: "I cannot handle this. If you are confident that he is unfaithful, you can arrange to have him followed and caught."

Mr. Ranney denied that Tufts said

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Two books, "Building Up the Blood" and "What to Eat and How to Eat" will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are on sale in every drug store or they will be sent direct, postpaid, on receipt of price, 60 cents per box.—Adv.

he "could make a case," as Mrs. Brown averred, and asserted that instead of Capt. Gordon's being called in, it was another assistant, probably State Officer Isles Smith, who was introduced as having been connected with morality war works in camps, was asked whether he had ever heard the name of Stearns and replied negatively.

Mr. Ranney declared Mrs. Brown "absolutely mistaken" in her testimony that Tufts said a woman "could be furnished." He never thought of it. He suggested that she employ Melvin M. Johnson, but Mrs. Stearns demurred on the ground that he and her husband were both Masons. She suggested Coakley, and Tufts agreed that he was "competent, but high-priced." She mentioned her arrangements with Coakley entirely apart from Tufts thereafter.

Letter From Lowell Chief

Taking up the International Service Company case, the officers of which have averred that they were "shaken down" for \$7500, paid to Harry E. Levenson, and by him turned over to former Dist. Atty Corcoran, Mr. Ranney declared that complaints came in to the office of the district attorney that by the literature of the concern some poor persons had been led to believe that if they invested they could get their money back, in time of need, as in a bank.

Tufts asked Atty. O'Neill to investigate, and sent Capt. Gordon to interview Athens, very much as the latter has testified. Ultimately, Tufts turned the case over to his assistant, Wagner. Corcoran came into the case for the defendants and asked for postponement of the trial. While looking into the case in Lowell, Corcoran suffered an automobile accident which laid him up. Tufts received a letter from the chief of police of Lowell stating that the manager of the branch office there had done good work as an interpreter in cases against the fact which was also given weight, and postponement (it) fall became effective. Ultimately, when Corcoran recovered, he arranged for an agreement with the defendants that the literature should be altered, and argued that if the indictments were prosecuted only innocent stockholders would suffer.

Finally Asst. Dist. Atty. Wagner agreed that if there were no more complaints the matter need not go farther and Corcoran promised to satisfy any complaints.

Lowell Cases

Mr. Ranney continued that all the various cases cited by the commonwealth to prove the allegations against Tufts resolve themselves into groups, and one group related to not grossing as a matter of judgment. Referring to the abortion case, in which Dr. Langens was indicted, Mr. Ranney declared that the doctor was "respectable, but poor, and the judge said he wouldn't send a man of that age to jail. It was the judge who directed the striking out of the indictment that part referring to the fatality."

Mr. Ranney also instanced the Lowell midwife cases as of this same group and quoted Judge Fossick as expressing sympathy, remarking that a midwife was all some people could afford to have to bring their children into the world, and it was he who suggested that the cases be filed on payment of expenses.

"A little investigation," exclaimed Mr. Ranney, "would have saved this charge of malfeasance!"

He also instanced the Gentle cases, and put them in the class of "too recent" saying there had not been time for their disposition; so also the Lillian F. Howe case.

Case Trivial

Another case he characterized as "trivial," referring to the Wasserman case in which he said that Jacob Was-

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serman's automobile accident resulted in damage to no person nor property except his own, and resulted simply from his attempt to turn a corner at too great a speed.

It was a question of judgment again in the Burke case, said Mr. Ranney. Frank J. Burke was found guilty in the Concord court of the larceny of some apples, but on his appeal, Mr. Tufts thought it good judgment to take the word of a member of the legislature that it was a case of mistaken identity.

Mr. Ranney also put in the group of matters of judgment the Perry, Barry and Collamore automobile cases, in which the defendants were alleged to be members of the automobile ring, which stole thousands of dollars' worth of property in Suffolk and Middlesex. Mr. Ranney asserted that practically all the thefts occurred in Suffolk, and the cases came into Middlesex only technically as a result of transportation. In the honest judgment of Asst. Dist. Atty. Fossick and Mr. Tufts it was not worth while to try the cases when there were such slim chances of success.

Mr. Ranney cited other cases and defended Tufts' action. He was about to conclude his opening when reminded by Mr. Johnson of the Barney case. Continuing he said that in the Barney case Tufts was alleged to have made certain promises, on which Barney surrendered. But there was no proof. Mr. Ranney argued that the underlying motive on the part of both Atty. Bresnahan and Barney's stepfather in bringing about the surrender was that they were afraid to have Barney at large, since the Cambridge police had threatened to "shoot on sight" and apprehended that Barney also might do some shooting. Mr.

Ranney rehearsed the now familiar Tufts version of the return of Barney to prison, and admitted that Tufts technically violated the "true name law" in registering a state police officer under a fictitious name, but asserted that "no court would hold that the rule of reason doesn't apply, and no court would fine Mr. Tufts a cent." Mr. Ranney said that Inspector O'Halloran asked Tufts to grab Barney when the first interview was brought about, "but Tufts said that was not the way. He would keep his agreement."

Mr. Ranney admitted that Tufts ought to have made the statement that he met Barney outside Braintree, but in so stating he was trying to carry out a promise. "And a promise to an escaped felon is regarded as sacred by Nathan A. Tufts."

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Pres. Harding Urges Extension of Authority of War Finance Corp.

To Enable Board to Purchase Securities in Hands of R. R. Administration

Would Open Way to "Early Adjustment and Relief" of R. R. Problem

WASHINGTON, July 26.—President Harding, in a special message to congress today asked it to extend the authority of the war finance corporation to purchase securities, probably up to \$500,000,000 now in the hands of the railroad administration so that the proceeds may be used for settlements with the railroads.

This, the president told congress, would open the way to "early adjustment and relief" of the railroad problem. There was no thought, he said, of asking congress for additional money.

Railway claims, based on the inefficiency of labor, during the war, the president said, were to be waived for the present to hasten settlement without surrender of any rights in court.

Although the railroads owe the government large sums, the president said, the government also owed the railroads large sums on various grounds.

"No added expense," said the president, explaining his request, "no added investment is required on the part of the government, there is no added liability, no added tax burden."

It is merely the grant of authority necessary to enable a most useful and efficient government agency to use its available funds to purchase securities for which congress already has authorized the issue, and turn them into channels of finance ready to float them.

The contract covering operation provided that the railroads should be returned to their owners in as good condition as when taken over by the government and the transportation act, recognizing that betterments and additions belong to capital account, provided that such sums as the railway companies owed the government for betterments and new equipment added during the period of government operation might be refunded.

There has been at no time, any question about the justice of funding such indebtedness to the government. Indeed, it has been in progress to a measurable degree since the return of the railroads to their owners. It has been limited, however, to such cases as those in which final settlements with the railway administration have been effected. The process is admittedly too slow to meet the difficult situation which the owners of the railroads have been facing and I believe it essential to restore railway activities and essential to the country's good fortune to hasten both funding and settlement from the large sums owing to the government, which we are morally and legally bound to fund, the government admittedly owes the railway companies large sums on various accounts such as compensation, depreciation and maintenance.

The way now would seem to be clear to very early adjustment and relief, except for the fact that the railway administration, though possessing assets, does not command the funds necessary to meet what will be its admitted obligations.

Not to Ask More Funds

"There is no thought to ask congress for additional funds. Perhaps five hundred million dollars will be necessary. The railroad administration has or will have in progress of funding, ample securities to meet all requirements if congress only will grant the authority to negotiate these securities and provide the agency for their negotiation."

"With this end in view, you are asked to extend the authority of the war finance corporation so that it may purchase these railway funding securities accepted by the director-general of railroads. No added expense, no added investment is required on the part of the government, there is no added liability, no added tax burden."

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Express Prompt Sanction

"I can readily believe that so simple a remedy will have your prompt sanction. The question of our obligation cannot be raised, the wisdom of affording early relief is not to be doubted, and the avoidance of added appropriation or liability will appeal to congress and the public alike."

Pending proposals for relief and their discussion have already brought to the attention of congress the very promising possibilities of broadening the powers of the war finance corporation for the further relief of agriculture and livestock production. This corporation has proven itself so helpful in the relief thus far undertaken that I cannot help but believe that its broadened powers, as have been proposed, to meet agricultural needs will enable it wholly to meet the nationwide emergency. This is an impelling moral obligation to American farming in all its larger aspects, and it will be most gratifying to have your early sanction.

"In the case of the railroads there is a moral and a contractual obligation, and your favorable action is no less urgent and will no less appeal to public approval. Railway solvency and efficiency are essential to our healthful industrial, commercial and agricultural life. Everything hinges on transportation."

"After necessary and drastic curtailments, after harrowing straits in meeting their financial difficulties, the railroads need only this financial aid which the fulfillment of our obligations will bestow to inaugurate their far-reaching revival. Its effects will be felt in various ways and will hasten to a large degree the depression which though inevitable in war's aftermath, we are all so anxious to see ended."

With his message the president sent

Federal Agencies Acting at Harding's Direction Work to Relieve Conditions

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Federal agencies acting at President Harding's direction are working at emergency speed today, to relieve conditions in a large section of the southern cotton belt which are reported by the public health service to threaten a near state of famine, coupled with a widespread epidemic of pellagra. Alarmed by the report of conditions which are attributed to the economic plight of cotton growers resulting from depression in the cotton market, President Harding yesterday called upon the public health service and the American Red Cross to make an immediate investigation to ascertain the actual conditions and to lose no time in applying an effective remedy.

Declaring that the shortage of money resulting from the inability of the people of a large section of the south to sell their cotton, was threatening "famine" and plague, the president wrote Surgeon General Cumpung of the public health service that "immediate and effective measures of amelioration are manifestly demanded if conditions even approximate the gravity suggested by the health service." Promising the full co-operation of all federal agencies, the president also declared that if found necessary, congress would be asked to pass special legislation to meet the situation.

ULCERS AND CANCERS

Dr. Robuck Discusses Cause and Treatment at Cleveland Convention

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 26.—The best treatment for ulcers of the stomach, which usually result in cancer, is prevention, Dr. S. V. Robuck of Chicago declared today before the 25th annual convention of the American Osteopathic association. Ulcers of the stomach are caused by "slinker slouch" posture, he said.

"When assuming the posture of the 'slinker slouch,' Dr. Robuck said, 'the back loses its normal curve and the individual becomes round shouldered, the chest flat and narrow and the lower abdomen puffy and bulging.'

"Cancers are usually the after result of ulcers. Ulcers are due to disturbed nourishment of the stomach."

"When the wall of the lower abdomen becomes sagging, the stomach and intestines naturally must drop in proportion and this results in an undue strain on the ligaments supporting the first part of the intestines."

"The correct posture should be assumed carrying the head and spine erect and the chest well elevated."

Dr. Nettie M. Hurd of Chicago told the delegates that participants in murders, robberies and other crimes often are unable to resist crime because they have varicose veins in the last portion of the large intestines. Dyspepsia and heavy feet, she said, are symptoms of these varicosities.

Nearly two thousand delegates are attending the convention which closes Friday.

Another osteopathic college is to be founded at Kirksville, Mo., it was stated at the convention. Construction of the first unit of the 1200,000 building has already been started.

SOVIET GOVERNMENT CLAIMS MONEY HERE

NEW YORK, July 26.—The Russian soviet government has served notice on four New York and two Washington banks that it is the owner of more than \$175,000,000 deposited in these institutions by Boris Baklanoff, who was appointed Russian ambassador to the United States before the sovietists acquired control.

In making this announcement today Charles Recht, attorney for the soviet regime, said the notices sent to the banks warned them that they would be held liable if they should pay the funds to anyone, but an accredited representative of the soviet government.

The banks are the National City Bank, the Guaranty Trust Co., the Bankers' Trust Co. and the Second National bank of this city, and the Du Pont National bank and the Riggs National bank of Washington.

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BABY MONK IS KIDS' PET



The kids who live near the Bronx Zoo, New York, are having high sport with the baby orang-outang which recently arrived from India. The trip made the baby monk sick, but the children soon had him in good spirits.

Bank Teller Shoots Himself

NEW YORK, July 26.—James Braham of East Orange, N. J., receiving teller of the Public National bank today shot himself while in the bank's vault and died in a hospital. Bank officials said his accounts were in order.

Fined \$10,000 In Tax Case

NEW YORK, July 26.—Herbert Martin, treasurer of Martin & Martin, Inc., dealers in leather goods, was fined \$10,000 today by Federal Judge Shepard for defrauding the United States out of luxury taxes. The corporation was fined \$2000. Pleas of guilty were entered in behalf of both.

Disposition of Ponzi's Mansion

BOSTON, July 26.—Although the disposition of Charles Ponzi's Lexington mansion appeared settled with an agreement between his trustees in bankruptcy and Richard Engstrom, from whom Ponzi bought it, the matter was reopened today when attorneys for Mrs. Rose Ponzi announced she would attempt to obtain a share in the property. Agreement ending the suit of the trustees to secure the purchase price of the estate was reached yesterday. By its terms, Engstrom was to resume ownership on payment of \$39,150. With the appeal of Mrs. Ponzi that she is entitled to dower rights in the property, final disposition may not be made for months.

Agree to Eliminate Sales Tax

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Agreement among members of the ways and means committee that in the revision of revenue laws no provision will be made for a sales tax was announced today by Chairman Fordney at the opening of public hearings on the proposed measure. H. C. McHenry, tax representative of the American Farm Bureau federation appeared before the committee prepared to oppose this form of tax. He was advised to proceed with arguments on other phases of the general tax question, in view of the committee's attitude.

Mass. Fuel Head Protests Coal Prices

BOSTON, July 26.—Protest against unfair discrimination in coal prices alleged to be practiced against the people of Massachusetts by the Hudson Coal Co., of New York was sent to the federal trade commission in Washington today by Eugene C. Hultman, state fuel commissioner. Mr. Hultman asserted that the company was discriminating against Massachusetts and practicing unfair competition. He quoted figures to show that the Hudson Co., raised its prices on July 1 and subsequently reduced them in some sections, but not in Massachusetts. He declares that the Hudson Co., supplies more than 1,000,000 tons of coal annually in this state.

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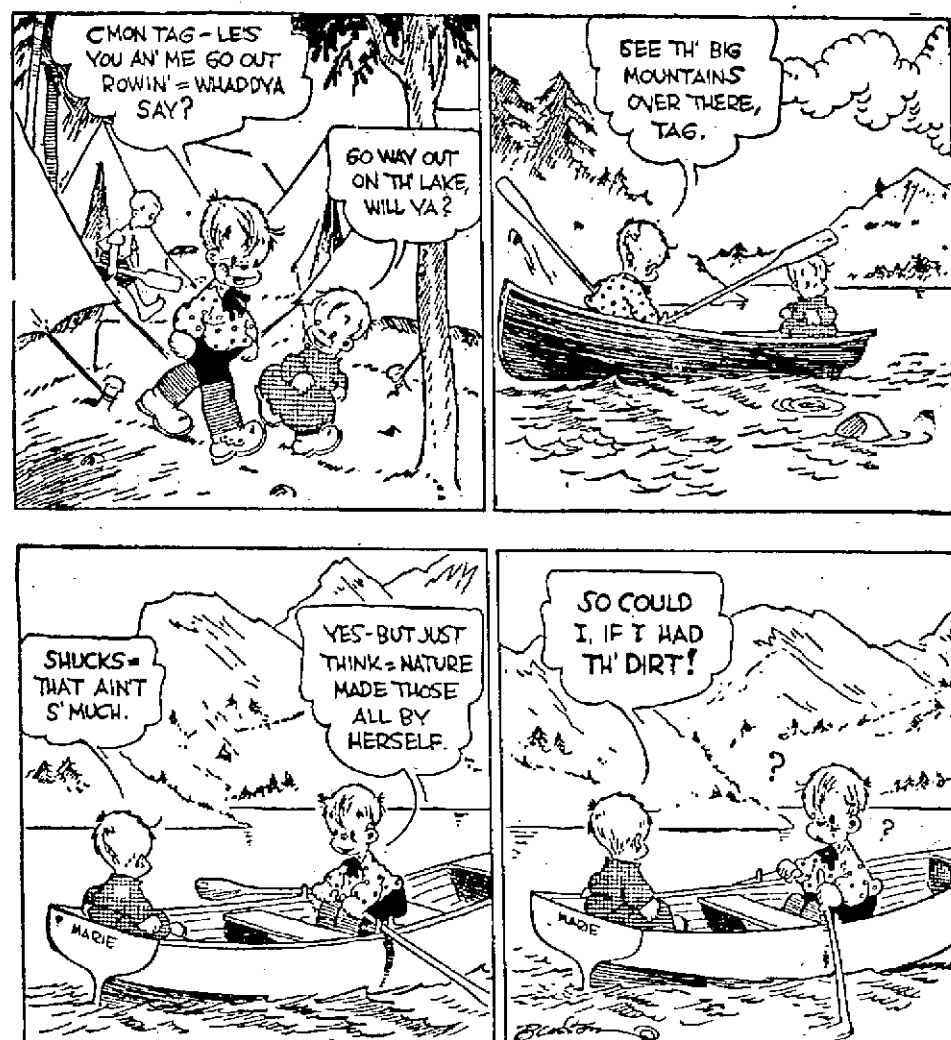
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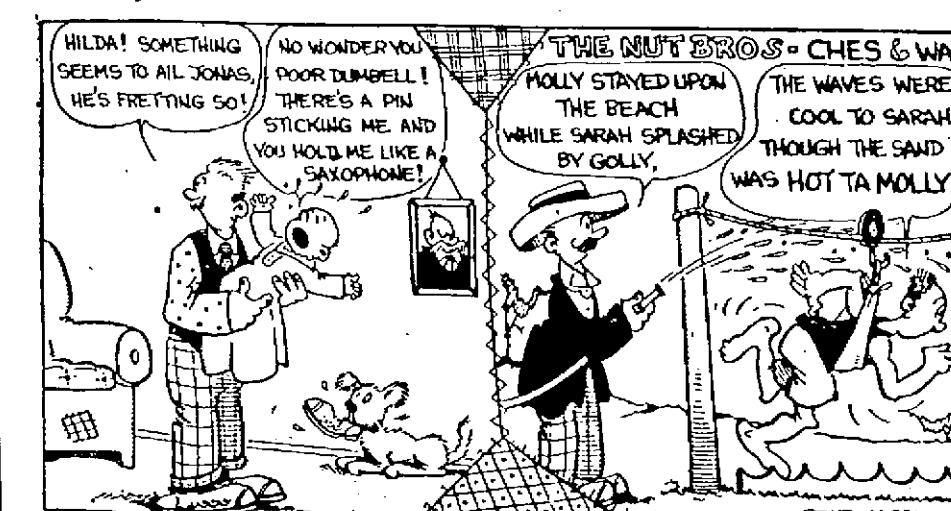
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Formal Demand by Secretary of State
Hughes for Release of American
Prisoners in Russia

Official Communication Handed by Consul Albrecht to Leonid Stark, the Bolshevik Minister at Riga, Latvia—Curt Demand by Hughes Is First Official Representation Made Upon the Subject

RIGA, Latvia, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—An official demand by Secretary of State Hughes for the release of the American prisoners in Russia was handed by Consul Albrecht to Leonid Stark, the Bolshevik minister here last night.

Formal Demand for Release

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Formal demand for release of American prisoners in Russia has been made on the Soviet authorities by Secretary Hughes. The state department was advised today that the communication had been handed to the

soviet representative at Riga yesterday, by Consul Albrecht. The text of the communication has not been made public. It is understood, however, to be a brief insistence that the Americans be released before there can be any

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Enjoins Union From Continuing Strike

BOSTON, July 27.—Judge Deconroy in supreme court today enjoined union shoeworkers in Haverhill from continuing a strike now in progress and ordered the local conference committee immediately to take up consideration of a new wage scale. Should the committee fail to adjust the differences, which were responsible for a strike of stitchers in nine factories, the matter will go to an adjustment committee and then to an arbitration board, the judge decreed. He urged that the provision of a peace agreement be complied with.

Violent Break in United Drug Shares

NEW YORK, July 27.—eT Rickard and Frederick C. Quimby, motion United Drug Co., enlivened today's dull session of the stock exchange. The stock which lost nine points yesterday opened at a further decline of 5 1/4 points and by mid-day this was extended on persistent selling to 20 1/4 points at the low of 54. The remainder of the list was fairly steady.

Ship Board Heads Asks \$125,000,000

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Chairman Lasker of the shipping board today asked the house appropriations committee for an immediate \$125,000,000 appropriation to meet expenses during the next five months. No action was taken.

Japan's Acceptance Conditional

LONDON, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—Japan's acceptance of the invitation to a conference at which Far Eastern problems will be discussed is conditioned, according to a reliable information here, upon the agenda for the conference being decided in advance.

DISARMAMENT CONGRESS

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sends
Formal Invitation to Washington

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., July 27.—The city council and the Chamber of Commerce today forwarded to Washington invitations to hold the disarmament congress at Niagara Falls. Telegrams were sent senators and representatives from this state urging them to use their influence to have this city selected for the conference.

The A.B.C. conference to settle differences between the United States and Mexico, was held at Niagara Falls, Ont., several years ago.

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Now make your money work for you. This Bank is the place where your money works. Idle MONEY is as bad as idle HANDS.

Interest Begins Aug. 6



A Bank that is

almost One Hundred Years Old and

that is under the supervision of the

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is a member of the Federal Reserve

System is a pretty good bank for your

savings.

Interest in our Savings Department begins August 1.

Old Lowell National Bank

One-third of the injuries to human bodies are in the hands and fingers.

District Attorney Faces Full Bench
to Give Accounting of His
Stewardship as ProsecutorB. & M. FIGHTING
FOR BUSINESS

Rates Are Being Cut to
Meet Motor Truck Competition Here

Stated That New Rates
Will go Into Effect August First

The Boston & Maine railroad will make a determined effort to regain some of the express freight business between Lowell and Boston, which has been lost through the competition of motor trucks, by reducing the express charges. A new table of express rates is being drawn up and is expected to go into effect Aug. 1. It was not officially stated how great the cut would be, but it was unofficially reported this morning that the charges between Boston and Lowell would be reduced to approximately 21 cents per hundred pounds on all ordinary express business. The present rate is 25 and one-half cents.

Lowell is but one of a number of cities within a fifty mile radius of Boston which will be affected by the cut. At the headquarters of the Boston and Maine railroad in Boston it was stated that the cut would amount to an average reduction of 40 per cent. This reduction has been made necessary by the trucking companies which have sprung up in ever-increasing numbers.

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CONFERENCE ON
IRISH QUESTION

De Valera and Colleagues

Have Not Yet Found a Basis
for Proposed Session

Continue Search for Common
Ground on Which Contending Parties Can Meet

DUBLIN, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—Eamon de Valera, the Irish Republican leader, and his colleagues, have not yet found a basis for the proposed conference with the British government on the Irish question in London, but are continuing to search for a common ground on which the contending parties can meet, it was stated in a well informed quarter here today.

At the Mansion House it was announced that the Sinn Fein cabinet still was considering the government's offer, and as a consequence, no statement would yet be authorized. The Irish leaders have no immediate intention of summoning the Dail Eireann, or republican parliament, to discuss the situation. It is declared, since things have not yet reached the stage where any tangible proposal could be submitted. The leaders are not considering the details of any system, but the means of securing an acceptable basis for a conference at which plans could be discussed.

The newspapers here emphasize the importance of summoning the Dail Eireann and print a list of 35 of its members in prison, whose release they demand. The republican liaison officers for observance of the truce continue their work, notwithstanding some friction with the military authorities who objected to the use of the official newspaper of the Irish republican army while being willing to recognize the liaison officers as the temporary representatives of the civil population.

RAID ALLEGED VICE DEN
Police Make Early Morning
Descent on Camp on Shore
of Silver Lake

Lowell and Tewksbury police joined forces for a raid at an early hour this morning on an alleged vice den in a camp on the shores of Silver Lake in South Tewksbury. It was necessary to batter in the doors to secure admission to the place. A young married woman and four young men were taken into custody and lodged in the Lowell police station on charges of improper conduct. Officers Cooney and F. B. Clark of Lowell and A. G. Kelly of Tewksbury

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LOWELL MAN KILLED IN
CAPE COD ACCIDENT

Information was received by the police this afternoon of the death in an accident in Chatham, Cape Cod, of a man by the name of MacKenney. The first name of the man was not given. It was later announced by the police that he had been in contact with Hugh MacKenney, 37 West Union street, an employee of the board of health, and notified him of the accident. The police stated that the latter is a brother of the deceased.

DIVORCE TANGLE BEFORE
JUDGE PICKMAN

The case of Charles Dennis, charged with non-support of his wife, Ida, was before Judge Pickman on continuance in the local police court this morning. Knotty points of law developed in connection with the consideration of the case and the judge mopped beads of perspiration from his brow, as he

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LIGGETT'S ASSETS IN
HANDS OF TRUSTEES

BOSTON, July 27.—The announcement that the personal assets of Louis K. Liggett, president of the United Drug Co., had been placed in the hands of trustees as a result of the decline of the common stock of the United Drug Co. in the past 24 hours, was made today.

The announcement was made by Frederick C. Snow, Mr. Liggett's attorney.

**VOTE FOR
BETTER STREETS**

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Boston Paving
\$3.06 Sq. Yd.

Lowell Paving
\$13.34 Sq. Yd.

WHY?

TUESDAY-AUG. 9th

Jas. E. O'Donnell
Counsellor at Law
ROOM 220, 45 MERRIMACK ST.

JUDGE DUBUQUE
FIRST CALLED

Testifies in Behalf of Tufts as
First of Several Judicial
Witnesses

Declares During Years He Has
Held Criminal Sessions Calendar Always Crowded

BOSTON, July 27.—District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts, a defendant at the bar of the supreme court in proceedings brought by Attorney-General Allen to oust him from office, faced the full bench today to give an accounting of his stewardship as Middlesex county prosecutor. His defense against the attorney-general's charges of malfeasance, misfeasance and non-feasance in office, was begun late yesterday after ten days of prosecution evidence at times sensational in nature, although of disputed application to the allegations.

Before Mr. Tufts took the stand, his counsel called on Judge Hugo A. Dubuque of the superior court as the first of several judicial witnesses in his behalf.

Judge Dubuque testified that during the years he has held criminal sessions at Cambridge, the calendar has always been crowded.

"Were matters expeditiously handled by the district attorney?" he was asked.

"You have developed nothing to show that they were not?" Chief Justice Rugg remarked, excluding the question.

Judge Dubuque said he did not recall a case against "Stella Kennedy." Answering a question, he said that keeping a disorderly house was a serious offense but he did not consider it as serious as crime of violence.

Asked if he did not think cases of disorderly houses where there was cohabiting over long periods were serious and ought to be tried, he said he did.

"Lowell Mid-Wife" Cases
Speaking of the fine imposed on one of the defendants in a group of cases referred to as the "Lowell mid-wife cases," Mr. Hurlburt said:

"You know, of course, that if that sentence was imposed by you it was an illegal sentence as the statute says the fine must be not less than \$100."

Judge Dubuque said it probably imposed on the recommendation of the district attorney.

It was stated that one of the women involved, Anna Paduch, was fined \$75.

Rival Counsel Clash
Conflict between Assistant Attorney-General Hurlburt and counsel for Mr. Tufts developed at the outset over the method of cross-examination of the district attorney. I had been announced that Mr. Tufts would testify separately on each of the principal groups of charges brought by the attorney-general with the Mishawum Manor case among the first to be taken up.

Mr. Hurlburt asked that cross-examination be postponed until his direct evidence in all cases was completed, explaining that Attorney-General Allen who was in New York, wished to examine Mr. Attorney Melvin M. Johnson, for Mr. Tufts, pointing out that the prosecution had introduced its charges in sections, said the defense wished to follow a similar course.

Ruled in Favor of Tufts
Chief Justice Rugg ruled in favor of Tufts' counsel, that cross-examination ought to follow the same line as the direct examination.

Tufts Reviews His Career
District Attorney Tufts in opening his testimony reviewed his career, mentioning his birth at Pittsburgh, graduation from Brown university, election in the state senate and house of representatives and as district attorney in 1916.

Inquiry then turned to points developed in the prosecution's presentation of its charges. The name of Daniel H. Coakley, who as counsel for motion picture magnates handled a

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Charges Against Chairman Delaney of
The School Committee Made
By Superintendent Molloy

Superintendent Says School Board Chairman Secured Election of Permanent Substitute Teachers Who Were Not Entitled to the Positions—Elections Were Made When Superintendent Was Ill and Absent

A definite charge that Chairman Thomas B. Delaney of the school committee had secured the election of four permanent substitute teachers last winter who were not entitled to the positions was made by Supt. Hugh J. Molloy of the school department at last evening's regular meeting of the committee in city hall.

Mr. Molloy charged that in his absence while he was ill, the list of those eligible for appointment as permanent substitutes got into the possession of Mr. Delaney and that instead of taking the next four names on the list the chairman skipped away down and took the names of candidates whose appointments, in the natural course of events, would not come for some time later.

Chairman Delaney immediately responded to the allegations, saying that

the superintendent had not given all the facts and that he had no way to verify the numbers of the young women who were appointed. He asked that he be given time to make a reply and the committee honored his request by setting next Tuesday at 5 p. m. as the time in which he should make his reply.

The committee elected 30 permanent substitutes, the names being taken from the results of the teachers' examination held here June 25. The first 30 at the head of the list, 20 of whom are assured of immediate assignments. They were elected after a motion by Committee member Donnelly that Lowell girls be given preference. The motion was defeated, 3 to 2. The elections are as follows:

Mildred F. Collety, Elizabeth A. Har-

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Police Investigate Death of Infant
Found in Canal This Forenoon

The police and Medical Examiner T. B. Smith are investigating the death of a new born female child discovered in the canal leading to the Merrimack mill this morning.

There was a cord about the child's neck, but as the medical examiner has not yet reported his findings, it is not known if death was due to strangulation. The police are of the opinion, however, that the child was strangled to death before being thrown into the canal.

The body has been removed to the rooms of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

To Acquit Weaver and Felsch

CHICAGO, July 27.—Judge Friend today informed the state attorneys in the baseball trial that he would direct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty in the cases of "Buck" Weaver and "Happy" Felsch, former White Sox players, and Carl Zerk of St. Louis, unless further evidence was introduced against these men. The judge temporarily overruled the defense motion to dismiss these cases when the state urged that the defendants might be incriminated by further testimony. The state dropped its case against Ben and Louis Levi of Kokomo, Ind. Motions to dismiss the charges against Joe Jackson and David Zelcer of Des Moines were overruled.

MERCURY HITS 96 MARK
THIS AFTERNOON

The heat wave rolled up against the thermometer today and sent it to 96 degrees in Merrimack square this afternoon at 3 o'clock. At noon it registered 84, which was three degrees hotter than yesterday at the same time. This afternoon was in some ways the most oppressive of the present hot spell. There was a slight breeze occasionally, but it seemed to have been baked before arrival. The air was dripping with humidity.

Promise of some relief from the heat wave which has enveloped Lowell for nearly four days was promised by the weather man this morning when he predicted thunder showers for this evening with cooler weather tomorrow.

As during the previous three days, the municipal bath house was taxed to capacity today and the various parks and beaches were the destination of hundreds who had an opportunity to get away from the city.

BOY INJURED IN FALL
Arthur Abbott, aged 15 years and residing at 33 Whipple street, fell from the third story of his home this afternoon and sustained a probable fracture of the left arm as well as abrasions to the face and other minor injuries. The ambulance removed him to St. John's hospital, where it was stated his condition was not considered serious.

DROWNED IN BATH TUB
BOSTON, July 27.—Finding his mother, Mrs. Samuel Gordon, lying in a bathtub at her home today when her five-year-old son Samuel tried to save her life by draining the tub. When she did not answer, he called in neighbors. The medical examiner declared death due to drowning.

KASINO
Every Night Except Tuesday
TONIGHT—LADIES' NIGHT
Admission for Ladies, 10c, Includes War Tax and Checking
CAMPBELL'S ORCHESTRA

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LEARN TO DANCE
Bay State Dancing School, 285 Dutton St., Formerly Ely's
Private lessons every day from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. and from 6:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m., \$1.00. Class lessons every evening from 5 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. LADIES, 40c. GENTLEMEN, 50c. GOOD MUSIC

PROMISE PLENTY OF FIREWORKS

Friends of Gov. Small Discuss
Latest Developments in
Famous Case

Governor Agrees to Accept
Service of Warrant, Charg-
ing Embezzlement

CHICAGO, July 27.—Friends of Governor Small today promised "plenty of fireworks in the next 48 hours" after the governor's counsel telegraphed Sheriff Mester of Sangamon county (Springfield), that the governor would accept service of the warrant charging him with embezzlement of state funds while state treasurer.

Governor Small arrived here last night and the decision not to resist service of the warrant was announced after a conference with his counsel. Attorney General Brundage, who was active in the grand jury investigation which resulted in the indictment, came on the same train.

"We wish to give the governor a reasonable length of time in which to comply with the court's order," said the attorney general. In such cases three days are usually allowed to arrange bail and surrender in court. Plans of Governor Small's counsel, it was said, are to permit the governor to remain in custody when the warrant is served while a writ of habeas corpus is being sued out. This would force the attorney general to show cause why the governor should be required to submit to criminal trial.

Sheriff Mester replied to the

REGISTRATION SESSION

Chamber of Commerce Pre-
paring for Registration on
Initiative Petition

The chamber of commerce is preparing for the registration session to be held here Aug. 4 in anticipation of the special election on the chamber of commerce initiative petition. The session will last from 12 noon to 10 p. m. and the commission emphasizes the fact that those who wish to become registered as voters at that time should bring their tax bills. Otherwise it will be necessary for them to go to the assessors' office to make sure that they are entitled to vote.

Naturalized citizens are requested to bring their naturalization papers and women who have not been registered are warned that they cannot vote unless they become registered before the special election which comes Aug. 9.

NEW LAKEVIEW PARK
Tonight at Lakeview, a fireworks program is to be staged. The public is generally invited to enjoy this feature. It is one of Lakeview's high lights of the season. Tomorrow afternoon, the dear girls will swim for the cham-

ber of Lowell. They will start

and finish directly opposite the pa-

vilion. Quite a number of entries have

been received, and those who are tardy

should go immediately to Mr. Coughlin

at Kittredge's store, Central street, or

telephone.

telegram of the governor's counsel

that he would not send to Cook

county (Chicago) to serve the war-

rant on the governor but would

wait his return to Springfield.

Russians Fire On German Fleet

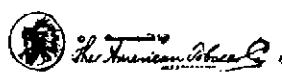
BERLIN, July 27.—(By the Associated Press)—The German mine sweeping fleet which has been operating in the Koln Bight on the northern Russian coast is reported in a special despatch from Vardoe, Norway, to have been fired on by Russian land forts. The German fleet returned the fire, but no damage is reported on either side. The German fleet, which left Wilhelmshaven a week ago to clear the White sea of mines under the provisions of the Versailles treaty, has retired to Vardoe to await further developments, the despatch says.

Warrants For Arrest of Governor

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 27.—Warrants for the arrest of Governor Len Small on charges of embezzlement and conspiracy to defraud the state, were placed in the hands of Sheriff Henry Mester of Sangamon county this morning. The sheriff immediately sent a message to Attorney Albert Pink, Governor Small's counsel in Chicago, informing him that it will not be necessary for the governor to submit to arrest in Chicago today; arrangements for bonds could be made when the executive returns to the capital.



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down \$1.50

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We have chosen a few extraordinary items from each department as most interesting for tomorrow morning's shoppers—better take advantage of them. The values offered at this annual mid-summer selling are the most attractive of the season. Stocks are being closed out. Quantities are limited.

LINEN SECTION

Mercerized Scotch Damask; reg-
ular price \$1.25 yard. July
Markdown 89c yd.

Heavy Table Damask; regular
price \$1.75. July Markdown,
\$1.49 yd.

Union Huck Towels; regular price
75c ea. July Markdown,
50c ea.

Mercerized Naphkins; regular
price 15c ea. July Markdown,
12½c ea.

Palmer St. Store

TOILET GOODS

Roger & Gallet Rice Powder;
regular price 45c. July Mark-
down 29c

Derma Viva Face Powder; regu-
lar price 50c. July Markdown,
29c

Hygie Manicure Sets; regular
price 50c. July Markdown 39c
Street Floor

LEATHER GOODS

Beaded Bags; regular price
\$11.50 to \$22.50. July Mark-
down \$7.50 to \$15.00

Bill Folds; regular prices \$1.00
to \$6.75. July Markdown,
50c to \$4.50
Street Floor

FLOUNCING

Colored Organdie Flouncing;
regular prices \$1.98, \$2.25 a
yard. July Markdown,
\$1.75 a yd.
Street Floor

HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs;
regular price 25c. July Mark-
down 17c ea.

Men's Cotton Handkerchiefs; regu-
lar price 12½c. July Mark-
down 3 for 25c
Street Floor

APRONS

Dress Apron, made of fine
striped, checked and figured
percale, low neck, short
sleeves, two pockets and wide
sash, neatly trimmed with
rick rack braid; regular price
\$1.39. July Markdown, \$1.00
Street Floor

DRY GOODS SECTION

Bleached Sheets, 40 dozen in lot,
made of a good quality cotton
cloth, size 72x90. Regular \$1
value, at 79c each

Pepperell Unbleached Cotton, in
remnants, 36 inches wide.
Regular 10c value, at 10c yard

Bleached Cotton in remnants, 36
inches wide. Regular 15c val-
ue, at 10c yard

Curtain Scrim, white and cream,
with fancy woven borders.
Regular 25c value, at 15c yard

Khaki Cloth, made for the gov-
ernment, good quality. Regu-
lar 29c value, at 17c yard

Bleached Domet, in remnants,
good heavy quality. Regular
12½c value, at 8c yard

Outing Flannel, 36 inches wide,
excellent quality. Regular 19c
value, at 12½c yard

Turkish Towels, very absorbent,
medium size. Regular 19c
value, at 12½c each

Union Linen Crash Toweling,
either bleached or brown. Regu-
lar 25c value, at 19c yard

Bates Table Damask, fast color,
a choice of a fine assortment
of patterns. Regular \$1.00
value 69c yard

Cretonne and Silkalene, in rem-
nants, a dandy assortment of
patterns to choose from. Regu-
lar 20c yard, at 15c yard

WAISTS

\$2.98 White Waists, colored trimmings, at \$1.75
\$2.98 Colored Voile Smocks, at \$1.49
\$7.50 Georgette Over-Blouses, at \$5.00
\$8.98 and \$10.00 Stout Silk Waists, at \$5.00
\$5.00 Hand Made Waists, at \$2.98
\$2.98 Voile Van Dyke Waists, at \$1.98

WAIST DEPT.

SECOND FLOOR

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\$10.00 Colored Baronette Skirts, at \$6.75
\$8.50 Fibre Silk Sweaters, at \$5.98
\$1.98 Tie-Back Sweaters, at \$1.49
\$2.98 Jersey Tie-Backs, at \$1.98
98c Colored Sateen Petticoats, at 49c
\$1.98 and \$2.98 Colored Sateen Petticoats, at \$1.00
\$1.98 Polka Dot Tie-Backs, at \$1.19

LACES

Linen Cluny Laces; 1½ to 2½
in. wide; regular prices 25c
and 39c yd. July Markdown,
15c yd.

Real Fillet Edge; 1 in. wide; regu-
lar price 50c. July Mark-
down 25c yd.
Street Floor

WASH GOODS

Silk Striped Shirting; regular
price \$1.25 yd. July Mark-
down 79c yd.

Linen, linen color only; regular
price \$1.75. July Markdown,
89c yd.

White Nainsook (10 yd. pc.);
regular \$2.75. July Mark-
down \$1.89

SHOES

Women's Bathing Shoes; regular
price \$1.50. July Markdown,
\$1.00

Women's Patent Oxfords; regular
price \$12.00. July Markdown,
\$5.00

MILLINERY

Dress Hats; regular prices \$12
to \$18.50. July Markdown,
\$5.00

RIBBONS

Wide Dark Brocade and Metal
Ribbons; regular prices \$4.98
and \$5.98 yard. July Mark-
down \$1.98 yd.

ART GOODS AND EM- BROIDERY

Stamped Pillow Covers; regular
prices 75c to \$1.25. July
Markdowns 35c and 50c

Children's Stamped Dresses, 6
months to 4 years' sizes; regu-
lar prices \$1.00 to \$2.50. July
Markdown 50c and 75c

Hand Embroidered Models. July
Markdown,
½ Off Regular Price

INFANTS' WEAR

Infants' Muslin Bonnets; regular
prices 75c and \$1.00. July
Markdown 59c

Children's Coats; regular price
\$6.00. July Markdown \$2.98

NECKWEAR

Organdie Vesteers, with collar
and cuffs; regular price \$1.00.
July Markdown 69c
Street Floor

CORSETS

Pollard Special; regular price
\$1.50. July Markdown \$1.00

Warner Corsets; regular prices
\$3.00 and \$3.50. July Mark-
down \$2.00
Street Floor

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Philippine Chemise; regular prices
\$2.98 to \$5.98. July Mark-
down \$2.25 to \$4.49
Third Floor

HAIR NETS

Hair Nets, cap shape; regular
price 10c each. July Mark-
down 79c doz.

Street Floor

CUT GLASS

Relish Dishes; regular price
\$2.50. July Markdown \$1.75

Apple Bowls; regular price \$4.50.
July Markdown \$3.00

Spoon Trays; regular price \$1.50.
July Markdown 75c

Ginger Ale Sets, jug and 6
glasses; regular price \$3.00.
July Markdown \$2.00
Street Floor

SHELL GOODS

Hair Pins; regular price 15c a
box. July Markdown,
3 Boxes for 25c

Fancy Casque Combs; regular
price 50c. July Markdown,
25c

HOSIERY

Women's Brown Cotton Hose;
regular price 30c. July Mark-
down 20c

Misses' White Hose and Boys'
Hose; regular price 25c. July
Markdown 5 pairs for \$1

Children's Colored Socks; regu-
lar price 38c. July Mark-
down 30c
Street Floor

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Union Suits; regular
price \$1.00. July Markdown,
69c

Boys' Eoru Union Suits; regular
price 60c. July Markdown 38c

Children's Jersey Pants; regular
price 25c. July Markdown 15c
Street Floor

LININGS

Surf Cloth Novelties; regular
price \$1.25. July Markdown,
\$1.00

Mercerized Sateen Novelties;
regular price 85c. July Mark-
down 69c
Palmer Street Store

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

Unbleached Sheets; regular price
\$1.00 each. July Markdown,
79c each

Extra Large Sheets; regular
price \$1.98 each. July Mark-
down \$1.29 each
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Gingham and chambray, in rem-
nants, here in plain colors,
also pretty plaid combinations.
Regular 20c value, at 12½c yd.

White Voile in remnants. Regu-
lar 25c value, at 15c yard

Cotton Blankets, good size, plaid
patterns. Regular \$2.00 pair
value, at 59c each

Boys' Hose, heavy ribbed, in
black and brown. Regular 10c
value, at 10c pair

Women's Hose, lisle finish, dou-
ble sole and heel. Regular 19c
value, at 10c pair

Women's Silk Hose, in black and
colors, some have seam in
back. Regular 50c value, at
29c pair

READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Bloomers, made of batiste, in
white or flesh color. Regular
59c value, at 39c each

Envelope Chemise, made of fine
nainsook, nicely trimmed. Regu-
lar 79c value, at 49c each

Night Gowns, several styles,
good material. Regular \$1.00
value, at 79c each

Children's Aprons, made of fine
quality percale, in light and
dark colors, trimmed. Regular
50c value, at 35c each

MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION

Boys' Union Suits, fine jersey
ribbed, in white and ecru.
Regular 50c value, at 39c each

Men's Shirts and Drawers, bal-
briggan, in ecru only. Regu-
lar 50c value, at 39c each

Men's Working Shirts, made of
heavy chambray, woven cheviot
and twill, in black, double
front and back. Regular \$1.00
value, at 65c, 2 for \$1.25

Men's Suspenders, made of good
strong elastic with web leather
ends. Regular 25c value, at
15c pair

Children's Play Suits, made one
piece style of blue denim and
khaki. Regular \$1.00 value,
at 69c each

HOUSE FURNISHINGS SECTION

Glass Wash Boards. Regular
price 95c, at 69c each

Waldorf Toilet Paper. Regular
price 12½c, at 10c roll

Garbage Cans, 7-gallon size.
Regular price \$1.69, at
\$1.49 each

Wool Soap for toilet and bath.
Regular price 7c cake, at
5c cake

Garden Rakes. Regular price
98c, at 69c each

Garden Hoes. Regular price
98c, at 69c each

Spading Forks. Regular price
\$1.49, at 98c each

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Women's One-Strap Sandals with
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sizes, 2½ to 8. Regular price
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Women's Lace Comfort Oxfords
with rubber heels, soft and
comfort fitting, all sizes, 3 to
8. Regular price \$2.50, at
\$1.98

Women's Black Brogue Oxfords
with rubber heels, a good shoe
for big girls, sizes 2½ to 7,
wide width. Regular price
\$4.00, at \$1.98

Misses' and Children's Tan or
Gun Metal Lace Oxfords, also
patent colt in lot. These shoes
are stitch downs and are very
flexible, wide width only, sizes
6 to 11 and 11½ to 2, at \$1.49

Tan Play Shoes, dark shade, all
sizes, 5 to 11. Regular price
\$1.25, at 98c

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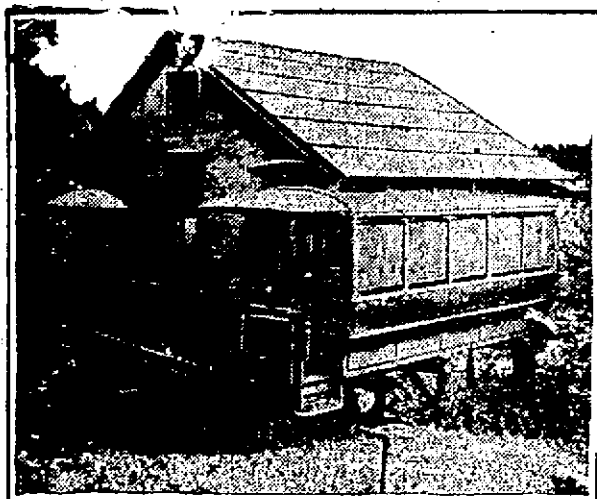
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Henry Ford should know, if anyone does, how to crank a Ford car. Here he is doing it at the Maryland camp where President Harding, Edison and other notables pitched tents. The fellow in the background who seems so amused at Ford's labor is H. S. Firestone, the tire manufacturer.

A STREET-CAR BUNGALOW



Two discarded street cars were used by a Washington man to construct this cheap bungalow.

School Board Meeting

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ington, Viola H. Howker, Catherine B. McDermott, Mary J. Campbell, Beranger M. Roy, Bertha W. Leadbetter, Florence A. Geary, Agnes A. Dudley, Marion R. Quinn, Elizabeth A. Flahaven, Mary A. Flahaven, Ruth Murphy, Alice C. Gray, Bernice M. Quill, Mary E. Coffey, Nora H. Leary, Anna H. Rouine, Helen Blessington, Grace A. McMahon, Anna J. Masterson, Mary T. Hearn, Mary F. Morris, Dorothy L. Driscoll, Alice W. McMahon, Elizabeth M. Hanson, Mary Early, Catherine A. Mitchell, Catherine M. Cahill, Christine Lowney.

It was when Supt. Molloy had been asked to read the list of successful



CHAIRMAN THOMAS B. DELANEY

young women in the recent teachers' examination that he made his statement to the committee. Instead of announcing the list, Mr. Molloy read carefully and slowly the following prepared statement in which his allegations against Chairman Delaney were made.

Supt. Molloy's Statement

The superintendent then read the following statement to the members of the committee:

Lowell, Mass., July 26, 1921.

To the School Committee of the City of Lowell:

Gentlemen:—In May, 1920, under the seal of the city of Lowell, an advertisement was published in the city papers of a public examination of applicants for Lowell teachers' certificates of the third grade.

The rules of the school committee set forth that from such examination no more than a stated number, said number having been previously designated by the committee, would be selected as teachers.

The rules further prescribed that the examination should be in charge of the superintendent of schools, that the questions for the examination, should be prepared by some public school department other than that of Lowell and forwarded by mail or express in a sealed envelope to the superintendent who should open the same at the hour set for the examination, that the papers of the applicants should be identified by number only and sent by mail or express to the framer of the questions for correction, that the corrected papers should be returned in a sealed envelope, with the list of numbers arranged in order of beginning with the highest and ending with the lowest, and that such envelope should be opened by the superintendent or by some person whom the committee

had taken the examination and the committee voted that the remainder of the ranks be obtained on request not later than Jan. 1, 1921.

At a public meeting on July 15, 1920, the envelope which had been received from the examiner was opened and the numbers and ranks of the 25 persons who comprised the higher 25 of the applicants were disclosed; at the same time two envelopes which had been prepared by the superintendent for the purpose of numbering and identifying the papers of the applicants and which had been sealed and ordered at the time of the examination by the superintendent and the two masters who had assisted him in the examination were opened and the identification of the highest 25 was made. The persons so identified were elected permanent substitutes at once to serve as the needs of the department might require, with the understanding that elementary teachers at the end of the following school year; one person only failed to accept appointment at a permanent substitute.

In January of the present year Han-

ry L. Williams informed the superintendent, who was at that time confined to bed by illness, that the chairman of the school committee had directed him to ask the superintendent for the list of names and numbers which had been used in the examination and which was at that time locked in the private safe of the superintendent; the superintendent gave Mr. Williams the combination of the safe and directed him to secure the paper, and was informed at that time that the chairman had directed him to write to the examiner and request him to send the numbers and ranks of the 1920 examination or such remainder of them as had not been sent in July of 1920. Mr. Williams informs the superintendent that he delivered the identification paper which he found in the private safe to the chairman of the school committee and that he has not seen the paper subsequently. The paper has not been returned to the superintendent, although the rules which define the duties of the superintendent direct him to "have the custody of and be responsible for all sets of questions and examination papers connected with or relating to such examination, except where such custody or responsibility shall have been otherwise entrusted by express direction of the committee."

A further consideration of importance is that there is no record that the committee made a request of the examiner for the remainder of the ranks of the 1920 examination not later than January 1, 1921 as was provided in the vote of the committee at the meeting of June 22, 1920.

At a meeting of the school committee on February 17, 1921, the committee voted to elect as permanent substitutes Helen G. Lyons, Bridget V. O'Connell, Katherine G. Dewine and Lucy Desmond, on the representation that they ranked as numbers 26, 27, 28 and 29 respectively in the results of the examination which was held on June 26, 1920, are not entitled to those ranks for the reason that their numbers in order of rank are 32, 44, 45 and 50 respectively, and recommends to the committee that the vote passed at the meeting on February 17, 1921, by which the four persons previously mentioned were elected permanent substitutes be rescinded and that the names of the four persons be removed

EVERYBODY SEES A BIG CHANGE IN HER

Mrs. Rivard Doesn't Look Like She Was Ever Sick a Day—Feels Splendid

"From now on when I hear anyone of my family complaining I intend to start giving them Tanlac right then, for the way it has helped me certainly proves it to be the best medicine in the world," was the emphatic statement made by Mrs. Delavina Rivard, 22 Lawrence st., Taunton, Mass.

"Two years ago I had a severe case of my which is now in a general run down condition. My health was very poor and I seemed to be going from bad to worse all the time. I had no appetite at all, nothing tasted good to me and I got very little sleep. My nerves were so undone I felt miserable all the time, and I was so weak I couldn't do any housework. 'But since taking Tanlac I think I am the happiest woman in the world, and can do my housework just as easily as I ever could in my life. I sleep well, and to look at me one wouldn't think I ever had a sick day in my life. My family say I am the most changed person they ever saw, and I really look and feel years younger since taking Tanlac. Tanlac will certainly be our household medicine from now on."

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should designate in the presence and at a public meeting of the committee. The examination was held on Saturday, June 26, 1920, and there were 50 applicants.

Before the results had been received the committee decided at a meeting on June 29, 1920, that 25 permanent substitutes would be needed for the following year and as a consequence the examiner was directed to send the highest 25 ranks and the corresponding numbers; this action was in accordance with that provision of the rules which read as follows: "The committee shall grant certificates in order of rank to as many persons as it deems necessary—and holders of such certificates shall be employed as far as vacancies exist as permanent substitutes." At this meeting there was considerable discussion as to



SUPT. HUGH J. MOLLOY

getting the ranks of the lower 25 who had taken the examination and the committee voted that the remainder of the ranks be obtained on request not later than Jan. 1, 1921.

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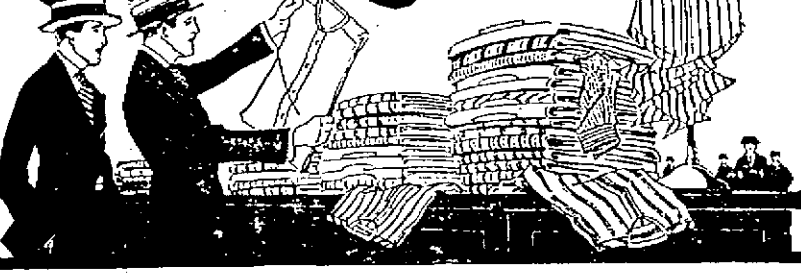
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WILLOW-TREE POOL



"There's something up," said Sprinkle-Blow to Nancy and Nick, "so suppose we go down to the earth and find out what Marty Mink and Cob Coon want with Blackie Bass. Blackie is an old friend of mine and no matter how hot or how cold the weather is, he never complains. He never minds a storm or a flood, and howly thunder and Jumpy Lightning have no terrors for him at all. I like nice patient Blackie and if he is in danger, I think that we'd better help him."

"Well," said Nancy, very sensibly, "if it isn't too late, I can go back to West Wind's house and tell him not to blow any clouds over the moon."

"And I can tell South Wind not to make the water muddy," suggested Nick.

"West Wind has already gone," said Sprinkle-Blow. "I can hear him roaring. And South Wind, too, for

THE COST OF KINDNESS

Tramp's Benefactor, Reformed Convict, is Recognized as Fugitive and Jailed

BY NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 25.—Ten years ago H. C. Rawlings, bigamist, escaped under gunfire from the Ark-



H. C. RAWLINGS

See State farm after serving only four months of a five-year sentence.
For six years he traveled from coast to coast, constantly in fear of capture. Fugitive for four years ago, he went to Limon, Col., and married.
He was a model husband. After three years in the railroad shops there, said

TO ABANDON SEVEN WAR-TIME CANTONMENTS

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The war department was proceeding with plans today for the practical abandonment of seven of the great war time cantonments, together with a general redistribution and reorganization of army units based on a reduction in enlisted strength to 150,000 by July 31. In announcing that the reduction required by the current appropriation measure must be accomplished by that date, Secretary Weeks said the new army program involved the placement of many organizations on the inactive list and the reduction of others to only skeleton strength.

While planning the eventual removal of all troops from the cantonments to be vacated, Secretary Weeks said the land would not be sold but retained, together with all utilities and improvements such as storehouses, water systems and railroad tracks, with a view to possible future use in connection with the citizens' military training camps. It is proposed to salvage the greater part of the buildings, he said.

FIRE CHIEF OVERCOME

Chief Saunders Overcome by Smoke and Fireman Injured at Cellar Fire

While fighting a fire in the cellar of the Surety Shoe Stores Co., in Paige st. last evening, District Chief Saunders was overcome by smoke, while Fireman Berry Simpson received injuries to his leg. Both men were taken to their respective homes. Dist. Chief Saunders was able to resume his work today, but it will be several days before Mr. Simpson will be able to get around again.

The fire was discovered shortly after 11 o'clock by Patrolman William Murphy, who sent in an alarm from Box 26, and a quick run to the scene was effected by the department. Upon their arrival, the firemen saw smoke issuing from the office of E. A. Wilson & Co., and they forced their way into the place to find that the blaze was in the adjoining cellar, directly under the shoe store. The fire was put out shortly afterwards and before any serious damage was done.

While the firemen were laying lines of hose to combat the flames, one of them burst on the sidewalk and as a result many spectators received a thorough drenching. A second coupling broke before the firemen succeeded in sending a stream into the cellar and this resulted in keeping the crowd at a safe distance.

POLICEMAN INJURED

Police Officer Harry Whitting of Westford had three ribs broken, while his companion, Warren G. Hanscom, received a three-inch cut on the head, when the two were thrown from a motorcycle while responding to a fire alarm yesterday afternoon. The accident occurred on the Boston road below the residence of Alec McDougal. The alarm was for a brush fire on Bear hill.

School Board Meeting Continued

ter was one of considerable importance and he thought that the superintendent's communication should be laid on the table.

Mr. Molloy said he was ready to take oath on the spot that his statements were true, but Chairman Delaney pounded on the table and called to order. It was finally voted to postpone action on the matter until Tuesday next at 5 p. m. When asked if the meeting would be an executive session, Chairman Delaney replied that he did not know. Supt. Molloy, however, said that he would proceed in the matter in no meeting except a public one.

Routine Matters

The committee took action on many routine matters. Supt. H. Berger was given a certificate of the second grade. The resignation of Edna J. Rundquist as a temporary teacher in the Vocational school was accepted.

A committee consisting of Supt. Molloy and Headmaster Henry H. Harris given their first election to the high school teaching force: Anna L. Maguire, Helen Whitcomb, Rachel Woodworth, Anne Reynolds, Gladys Mevis, Hildegard St. Onge, William A. Donovan and Joseph M. Donoghue. The following permanent substitutes were elected at a salary \$200 less than the minimum of the regular teachers' scale: Etheldred Willmott, Martin Connors and Louise McKenna. The following teachers were elected to the Vocational school on recommendation of the superintendent: Andrew J. Moynahan, M. Helene Regan, Helen G. Polycutt and Harry M. Taber. Chairman Delaney opposed Mr. Taber's election. Helen Gilbride was elected physical



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Instructor in the elementary schools. Maj. Walter R. Jeyes recommended that Frederick Desmond and Charles E. Maguire be elected physical instructors, but inasmuch as the recommendation were not made by the superintendent, Mr. Bergeron declared that they were illegal. The recommendation of Maj. Jeyes were defeated, 3 to 2. Chairman Delaney and Mr. Donnelly being in favor.

Nils Tobin of the high school staff was granted a year's leave of absence. At the request of the park department the committee voted to establish cooking classes in the Morrill school for the North common playground.

The request of a committee of Lithuanian residents that they be allowed the use of the Charles street school for the purpose of giving instruction in their native tongue was refused when the city solicitor's opinion to the effect that such procedure would be illegal was received.

It was voted to install a manual training room at the Morey school, to provide a domestic science bungalow at that school, to change the gymnasium floor at the Bartlett school and to buy a four cylinder truck for the use of the department to cost not more than \$1200. The chairman and business agent were authorized to locate the department's portable schools for the opening of the fall term.

The proposition to buy a six-cylinder coupe for the superintendent to replace his present car was laid on the table.

It was voted to authorize a contract with the Lowell Electric Light corporation for electric lighting at the new high school for ten years.

Recommendations of James T. Gear.



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Women's Tights, of heavy black jersey; regular \$1.25 values. Thursday Special, 79¢

Flexo Form Corsets, in broken sizes; regular \$3.50 model. Thursday Special, \$1.98

White Corsets, low bust, average model, sizes to 24; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special 79¢

Bandeaux of fine mesh, white or flesh, different models, sizes 32 to 44. Thursday Special 35¢

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Cawthorne Lotion for sunburn; regular 50c value. Thursday Special 37¢

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Winnie Winkle Aprons, cute style, made of fine gingham, assorted patterns; regular 89c values. Thursday Special 39¢

Skirt Aprons, of extra good percale, large bib, trimmed with rick-rack braid; regular 89c value. Thursday Special 59¢

Women's Silk and Fibre Hose, seam fashioned, black, white and cordovan; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special 55¢

Dropstitch Hose of fine silk lisle, women's sizes; regular 59c value. Thursday Special 39¢

Children's Silk Lisle Socks, plain colors with fancy tops; regular 49c values. Thursday Special 29¢

Children's Hose, fine rib, black and cordovan. Thursday Special 9¢

Women's Union Suits of summer weight jersey, low necks, sleeveless, tight or loose knee, sizes 36 and 38 only; regular 39c values. Thursday Special 35¢

Infants' Summer Vests, high neck, short sleeves, sizes 2 to 5; regular 25c value. Thursday Special 10¢

Women's Summer Union Suits of lisle, low neck, sleeveless, band top, loose or tight knee; regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Thursday Special 69¢

Women's High White Shoes, canvas, mostly small sizes; also an odd lot of sneakers. Thursday Special 50¢

Boys' Wash Suits, Oliver Twist, Eton and Middy styles, 3 to 8 years; regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special 98¢

Boys' Union Suits, balbriggan, sizes 20, 22 and 24; regular 50c value. Thursday Special 29¢

Boys' Blouses, light stripes or dark colors, sport and negligee styles; regular 59c value. Thursday Special 39¢

Children's Rompers, gingham, chambray and galatea, in pink, blue and tan, 2 to 6 years. Thursday Special 65¢

Babies' Silk and Wool Shirts, sizes 3 months to 3 years; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special 89¢

Children's Sleeveless Dresses, in pink, blue or white linen, leather belts, pockets; regular \$1.50 values. Thursday Special, \$1.19

Babies' Wool Sweaters, white, with pink or blue trimming, sizes 22-24; regular \$1.79 value. Thursday Special 98¢

Bloomers of flesh colored cotton, reinforced seat, homstitched ruffles; regular 59c value. Thursday Special 39¢

Women's Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners. Thursday Special 4¢

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Invisible Hair Pins, black; 5c value. Thursday Special... 2 Pkgs. 7c

Hickory So-On Garters, pink or white, 29c. Thursday Special, 21c

Bone Hair Pins, 25c value. Thursday Special 21c

Black and White Headed Pins, 6c val. Thursday Special, 2 pkgs. 7c

Supreme Needle Point Pins, 10c value. Thursday Special 6c

2 dozen Needles, assorted, in books, .15c value. Thursday Special, 11c

Sta-up Curved Belting, in black or white; 23c value. Thursday Special 19c

Adults' Tooth Brushes, fine or coarse bristles; regular 25c value. Thursday Special 18¢

Turkish Face Cloths, usual size. Thursday Special 5c

Palmolive Laundry Soap. Thursday Special... 5¢

Women's Neckwear, white or cream, several styles, slightly soiled; 59c value. Thursday Special... 33¢

Women's Gowns, of figured flesh colored crepe, kimona style, square necks, fancy stitching; regular \$1.69 values. Thursday Special \$1.29

Children's Boots and Mary Jane Pumps, of white canvas, sizes 2 to 8; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special 75¢

Children's Ankle Ties, Rice & Hutchins make, hand turned, black and tan, sizes up to 7; regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special, \$1

An Odd Lot of Women's Low Shoes, different styles, all sizes. Thursday Special, 98¢

Girls' High White Boots, of good canvas, sizes 2; regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 values. Thursday Special \$1.75

Boys' Black Gun Metal Shoes, made of fine leather, with good wearing soles, all sizes up to 6. Thursday Special \$1.98

Men's Black Vici Boots, Goodyear welt, fine quality soles and rubber heels, easy fitting last, all sizes; regular \$4.00 value. Thursday Special \$2.65

Men's Overalls and Jumpers, union made, from heavy blue and white stiff stripe; regular \$1 value. Thursday special, each, 50¢

Men's Night Shirts, of good wearing, white cotton, size 15 only; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday Special 59¢

Men's Cotton Half Hose, in black and tan; regular 15c value. Thursday Special, 10¢

Men's Negligee Shirts, in white and aeroplane line, collar attached; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special 89¢

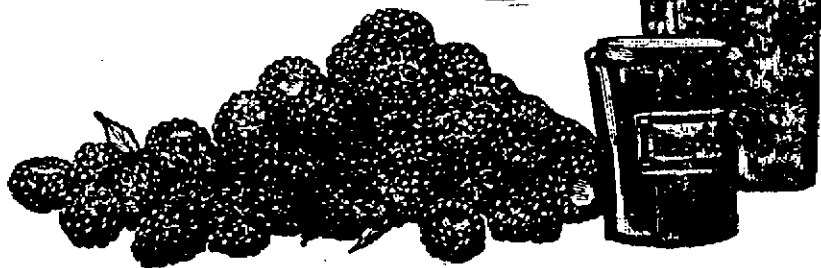
Two U. S. Aviators Killed at Coblenz

COBLENZ, July 27.—Two American aviators, Lieut. Carl Derby Gunther, of Frankfort, Ind., and Corporal L. O. Rogers of Hillsboro, Tex., were killed yesterday when their airplane crashed in flames at Wiesenthurm Field, near here.

Aged Couple Die of Suffocation

NEW BEDFORD, July 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Edmond McCoy, aged people, died early today of suffocation as a result of a fire which slightly damaged their home. Firemen found them both unconscious. They died on the way to a hospital.

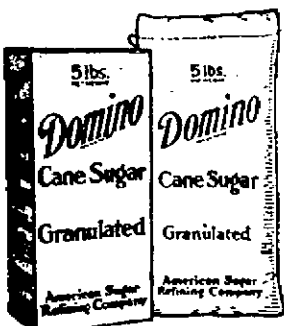
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WOMEN SHOULD COME OUT

In the coming special election there is an issue involved that appeals very strongly to the women of Lowell. It is whether the citizens can take any steps to remedy the disgraceful condition of our streets within a reasonable time. The municipal council was appealed to in vain and now the citizens have resorted to the initiative provision of the charter to get a decision from the electorate.

The question in effect is this: Shall the city of Lowell have the permanent construction or reconstruction of streets done by contract in open competition, and with Lowell labor, if obtainable, employed?

The politicians at city hall have raised the cry that this movement is opposed to labor and that the contractors will rob the city.

The object of this movement is to give us more smooth-paved streets at a much lower cost than we can get it done by the street department and to give the city its money's worth in street construction. At the present time the city can get rebit granite block paving done for about \$3 per square yard and can get the granite block paving done at perhaps \$1 or \$1.50 per yard, such as cost more than twice as much when done by the street department.

How can this injure labor? Let the employees of the department be put to work repairing the streets that are cut up by traffic. There are 105 miles of street in Lowell in very poor condition; 33 miles in fair condition, and 19 miles in good or very good condition. Year after year an appeal was made to the street department to put repair gangs to work; but in no case was a repair gang put on and kept at work in a systematic manner. Had that simple expedient been adopted, our streets would not be cut up as they are today. The condition is so bad now that it will require the entire department to do repair work while the contractors are laying smooth paving. But that means we can soon have first class streets in every part of the city.

This can be accomplished only if the permanent paving jobs be done by contract. If by the street department, the expense would be two or three times what it should be and the area for a given amount proportionately less than it should be.

It is charged by some that contractors have been detected in crooked business in other cities and that they will do the same here.

Contractors can never cheat any city except on city officials for whom it is a conspiracy to defraud. But if contractors give a bond for the proper completion of the work in accordance with the specifications, and if they lay block paving for one-third of what it costs when laid by the city, wherein does the robbery appear?

Or, if it be robbery to lay such paving at from \$2.75 to \$3.75 per square yard, how will the transaction be described when it costs \$10 to \$13 per square yard, as appears from the 1920 figures. The total appropriation for paving was \$77,534.13 and the yardage 5,538.54, which makes the cost per yard \$13.34, which seems most extraordinary. The street officials claim the cost per yard was only about one-half that figure, but that would not explain the total expenditure for paving in 1920.

This city has reached a point at which its paving equipment is not big enough to meet the demands upon it. Yet the powers that be at city hall refused to let any work be done by contract.

The issue, therefore, is plain—better streets at less than it has cost in the past for the poor streets and yet more men at work instead of fewer, with equally good wages for the right men. It is useless for city hall to begin to fight the people, but that is what is proposed at the present time. It is, therefore, the duty of the women to get into this movement and help to put it across. It is for the benefit of all the people, even including the city hall employees who are out to oppose the petition of the chamber of commerce now before the people on a referendum.

A MENACING SITUATION

It is a condition and not a theory that confronts the people of Lowell in connection with the tariff bill now before the senate. In this bill, as it now stands, the needs of New England textile manufacturers are grievously overlooked. How menacing the situation is, is told in the following statement by a careful investigator in the Boston Herald:

"The mills today are not making money; most of what they are still doing is to keep a job for their employees. But that cannot go on forever, and they cannot survive such a shock as the proposed tariff would deliver. It would mean that the many mills would go out of business, with them the maintenance of thousands, and with that, distress to the whole state and New England.

This is not a time when a high tariff, a tariff for revenue only, or no tariff at all is a subject for more than academic discussion. The plain truth of the matter is, that a highly protective tariff bill is being framed in congress. In this bill, unless changes are made, the products of New England mills are left open to competition with the factories of Europe. That finished products can be manufactured abroad and landed in this country at a much lower price than our own manufacturers can turn them out is patent to everyone. That the foreign producers are anxious to secure an outlet for their goods over here is equally well known.

The appeals of the New England mill men for adequate protection have thus far fallen on deaf ears. Unless pressure is brought to bear to bring about a change in the bill as it was sent to the senate, it would seem that there could be but one result and that would be compulsory forcing down of the standard of living here to a basis which will make competition with the lowest mills possible. Massachusetts ready for this? Is Lowell ready for this? If not, it behooves the people of this section to start a movement speedily that will safeguard their interests. It is hoped the senate will remedy the vital defects of the bill as it was sent from the house.

FIX THE HYDRANTS

Information that is startling is conveyed in the first instalment of a report on fire hazards in this city

made by inspectors of the New England Insurance Exchange and the National Board of Fire Underwriters upon request of the chamber of commerce. An almost unprecedented neglect to properly perform the functions with which it is charged is drawn against some department of the city department.

Here are some of the counts in the presentment:

The inspectors have made inspections in many cities and in no instance have they found fire hydrants in such defective condition as in Lowell.

Most cities clean and oil their hydrants at least twice a year. Here this has been entirely neglected and many hydrants were found so badly rusted and corroded as to greatly reduce their efficiency.

It was found difficult to remove hydrant caps and, in some cases, turn the water on.

It does not require the use of imagination to picture what may happen at any time in Lowell as a consequence of the way in which the fire hydrants have been neglected. The essence of the science of successful fire-fighting is speed in getting water turned upon a blaze. A very short space of time may be sufficient to give a destructive conflagration a chance to get under way.

Now that attention has been called to the existing condition of affairs, steps cannot be taken too quickly to bring about the necessary improvement.

The title of champion easy marks may be Lowell's via the city of Boston's bankers continue to be fleeced by sharp tricksters.

A VICIOUS MEASURE

All the women behind the Sheppard maternity bill except one are splinters. This plan is copied from Germany. These splinters will have full power in every part of the United States to investigate pregnant women and assign midwives instead of doctors. Senator Moses of New Hampshire calls them the "Meddlesome Matrons," a good name for them certainly. Miss Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau, has published surveys and reports based upon the influenza years and reflecting upon American communities. She also recommends bonuses to illegitimate mothers and where poor parents have large families she will doubtless advise the necessity of birth control. These evils are to be spread at large throughout the country through the Sheppard-Towner maternity bill should it become law, which in the interest of orderly government, state rights and the putting an end to bureaucracy should be defeated.

THREE CENT POSTAGE

The republican leaders in searching for novel means of raising revenue have suggested a return to the three-cent stamp for letter postage. It is to be hoped that they will not find it necessary to go back to war methods of raising revenue, of which this was an example. The people were glad to get rid of the three-cent postage and would resist any attempt to restore it. Postmaster-General Hays has suggested several methods of raising revenue and at the same time improving the department. His recommendations lack the qualities of practicality and popularity. One of his plans was to drop a large number of postal employees, as he claimed that he could continue the service quite as well without them. That is a reflection upon his predecessor as well as upon the employees themselves and is looked upon also as an indication of his own ignorance of the actual needs of the department.

THE DYE EMBARGO

The Manchester Union in a recent issue had a strong editorial against the proposed embargo upon foreign-made dyes. It says "sound economy, traditional republican policy and a proper regard for the future development of the dye industry are not to be independent of foreign-made dyes, all may be rallied to the support of Senator Moses and his colleagues who oppose the unreasonable demand of the dye interests." The proposed embargo is inimical to the great textile business, in which New England is so greatly concerned and if adopted would prove an actual handicap to the normal and proper development of the dye-making business itself. The Forbidge bill has the peculiar quality of going to opposite extremes in a manner that would give one industry a monopoly and subject others to destructive foreign competition.

THE CONCORD

This hot spell has again brought a recurrence of the offensive odors from the Concord river. These have been traced to the beam house of the American Hide and Leather Company above the Rogers street bridge. The company has a filter bed there which is supposed to neutralize much of the offensive material passing out from the beam house. It appears quite evident that much liquid and other material is passing into the river from that plant. It is a matter that constitutes a serious menace to the public health.

Sometimes we are inclined to think that all of the examples of gross inefficiency and ineptness are found in connection with governmental operations. But the Boston & Maine railroad has just got around to discontinuing a branch line that produced a revenue last year of \$113,440 with operating expenses of \$12,940.

A report of the statistics division of the Massachusetts department of labor and industries says that "merchants are gradually reducing prices." Many merchants will think that "gradually" should take the place of "swiftly" in the statement.

A not inappropriate punishment for the citizen who intends to vote "No" in the coming initiative election would be to sentence him to ride continuously for a while over some of Lowell's present streets.

Evidently Superintendent Welch failed to knock on wood when he made the boast that Lowell is exempt from auto thieves.

Our "floating bars" are on wheels and they come from Canada.

SEEN AND HEARD

The nearest thing to being broke is to have the price and want a glass of beer.

Some men's idea of a vacation is where they can go with a khaki suit and a \$2 bill for a stay of two weeks and not change either one.

There are at least three men in Lowell whose voracity never would have been doubted if they hadn't gone fishing.

Witty Chaplain

A chaplain was noted for his ready wit. While travelling on a steamboat a notorious sharper, who wished to get into his good graces, said: "Father, I should like very much to hear one of your sermons." "Well," said the clergyman, "you could have heard me last Sunday if you had been where you should have been." "Where was that, pray?" "In the county jail."

Kidding Himself

"Hello, Dixon! How's things?" "Couldn't be better. I was never doing so well in my life. I've got \$100 in my pocket at this very moment!" "Good—good! I'm glad to hear it—delighted!" "Yes \$100—\$100! You understand?" "Yes, I congratulate you." "But you believe me, don't you? One hundred dollars—a hundred dollars." "So you said. Why do you keep repeating it?" "Well, as a matter of fact, I'm telling that story about a fellow repeating a yarn until he comes to believe it himself. I expect to thoroughly convince myself about Thursday. You might lend me five till then, will you?"

Playing the Rubs

It was a little English country farmhouse that took in boarders, and for the merry month of May and June it was crowded with pale citizens, glad to get away from their smoke and dirt to breathe the fresh air for a few weeks. There was the delight of the country life, and they would go in to ecstatic raptures over the crowing of the roosters and the croaking of the frogs. Farmer Hayseed, scythe in hand, lumbered up to the house. He had brownish-red whiskers, full of hay and straw. Mrs. Hayseed, plain and very rural, came to meet him. "Garge," she said, "beaut it toms yew wuz drivin' to this station to meet Lunnon train. Our city friends be a-comin' by that 'un." "Right yew be, lass," replied the farmer, and lumbered over to the barn. The boarders grinned in delight at the homely couple, in their rusty clothes and rustic dialect. After the boarders had gone to bed that night, Farmer and Mrs. Hayseed sat with the town friends the former had met at the station. "What's the idea, Barker?" asked one of the visitors from London. "Why do you bury yourself down here and pretend to be country bumpkins?" "How, have?" laughed Farmer Hayseed, who was really Archibald Richard Barker. "Why, if I was even to suggest to my boarders that I was a city man with a city education they'd never come down to stay at such a quaint old country farmhouse."

Suffering Man

George White, in Springfield (Vt) Peas and beans are in the garden. Ready to be picked and canned. Berries on the bushes ripening. Spill if they're allowed to stand. Canned beans are just as jelly. And in every little pit. Hosts of things demand preserving. When the weather's stilling hot.

Like the burning, fiery furnace, Daniel told of long ago. Heated seven times for Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego. In the kitchen was the housewife. With endurance passing strange. Bends above the steaming messes. On a red-hot, sizzling range.

There she stands and calmly sweaters. Squeezing scalding bags for juice. Of the fruits and vegetables. Putting up for Winter's use. She endures unflinching. Although perspiration gush. That her kitchen would make Dante. For his old inferno blush.

Then at noon home comes her husband. The poor creature is a wreck. Contess, vestless and his collar. Torn away from chafing neck. And he groans about the neck. And the office—bless the man! Where he sat and smoked that morning. Next to an electric fan.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

The news that Henry F. Sullivan, Lowell's premier swimmer, has arrived in England to attempt the swim of the English channel once more recalls the gritty attempt made by the Lowell swimmer last summer to overcome the lashing waves of the ever-tossed channel and his failure only because of a sudden change in the weather and overwhelming tides when he was within halting distance of the French coast. Undiminished by his failure on his first attempt last summer to make the swim, Sullivan gamely made a second try while his friends in Lowell and, indeed, lovers of swimming all over the country followed his struggle with interest. I well recall the reception given Mr. Sullivan at city hall and later at the C. Y. M. I. one evening shortly after his return from Europe. He is hoping that when he returns this time he will have had the honor of being one of the few human beings able to negotiate the terrific tides of the channel. But it's a great undertaking.

A letter mailed at the corner of Lawrence and Rogers streets about 9.45 o'clock Friday night was delivered in Centralville Monday forenoon and postmarked 3 p. m. Saturday afternoon. It is to be hoped that delays of this kind do not occur very often. If the postal service is what it should be a letter mailed about 9 or 10 o'clock any night should be delivered in any part of the city the next forenoon. This is a matter for Postmaster Mehan to look into.

PENSION TO NEGROES

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 27.—The Tennessee pension board now in session here has granted pensions of \$10 a month to 41 negroes who saw service in the civil war.

HEALTH OF WOMEN

How many perfectly well women do you know? Isn't it true that in order to keep up with the march of progress the endurance of woman is often strained to its utmost, and the tax upon her physical system is in many cases greater than she can stand. Headaches develop, and nervous irritability, backache, dragging down sensations, and other painful ailments peculiar to women. The reliable remedy when a woman gets into such a condition is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as for nearly half a century it has proved the natural restorative for these troubles. Adv.

A STERN TEACHER



There's a teacher shortage in Singapore. So the older boys are pressed into service. Notice the stick in the young teacher's hand. He sees that his pupils escape nothing that he experienced in his younger days. No, no! Those aren't pajamas the little shavers are wearing. They just dress that way.

DEATH BLOW TO THE NORRIS BILL

Republican Leaders so Regard

Pres. Harding's Message to Congress

President's Suggestions Incorporated in Bill Introduced by Sen. Kellogg

WASHINGTON, July 27.—President Harding's special message to congress on railroad and farm financing was regarded today by many republican leaders in the senate as having dealt a death blow to the Norris bill to create a \$100,000,000 farm export corporation.

The president in his message suggested that the powers of the war finance corporation be extended to cover all phases of farm credits, and the bill containing such a provision, introduced yesterday by Senator Kellogg, republican, Minnesota, was said to have the approval of the administration.

It was drafted by Secretary Hoover and Director Meyer of the finance corporation and will, in the opinion of many republican senators as expressed today be substituted for the Norris bill, which Secretary Hoover condemned and Secretary Wallace failed to endorse before the senate agriculture committee.

Champions of the Norris bill said today that they would relent not one whit in the fight in behalf of their measure. They had ready to be voted on today a series of amendments designed to eliminate provisions severely criticized during debate. The Kellogg measure also will be voted on as an amendment to the Norris bill.

Just when congress would be able to take up the second request embodied in the president's message—the extension of the war finance corporation's powers to permit it to fund about \$500,000,000 of railroad indebtedness to the government—still was uncertain today. Leaders said there probably would be action within a fortnight.

Electric boilers are taking the place of fuel-fired boilers in Switzerland, where coal is high.

Women mountain climbers of Switzerland protect their complexions from the sun by smearing soot over their faces.

While sketch learns that real progress is being made in the Irish negotiations other reports evidently influenced by utterances contained in the Irish Bulletin last Monday, indicate doubts regarding the discussions in Dublin agreeing to a statement and suggest that the question of unification is a provoking one.

The Daily Mail, however, mentions "reports of a closer understanding between the north and the south," which, it says, diminished the doubts respecting the ability of the rival Irish leaders to meet and contrive a ground for common action. The newspaper adds: "It is understood that some Sinn Fein leaders agree to the government's terms and it is anticipated that an agreement for general acceptance would be reached. In any case, Mr. de Valera is expected to return to England shortly and in the meantime, be continued in harmonious touch with all concerned in Ireland."

LABOR LEADER CHARGED WITH NON-SUPPORT

HOLYOKE, July 27.—Edward S. Alden, state labor leader and labor newspaper publisher, is charged with non-support of his wife and three children in this city in a warrant sworn out yesterday in district court here and turned over to the local police for service. According to the police, Alden will be summoned to appear in court today.

Alden has been prominent for many years in labor circles in this city, is president of the printers' local and has been many times a delegate to state and national conventions. He was the publisher and editor of the Arden, a labor weekly in this city and two Boston weekly labor papers until a few months ago. He is now engaged in the printing business. He was formerly state president of the American Federation of Labor.

BILLERICA POSTMASTER

The United States Civil Service commission announces a competitive examination for third class postmaster at Billerica, which will be held in this city. Applications for the test must be filed by August 18 and applicants must submit their photographs taken within two years on the day of examination, all types or proofs being barred. Candidates must have a mark of least 70 to pass and the postmaster will be appointed from the first three on the list on recommendation of the republican congressman of the district. The position carries a salary of \$1800 per annum. Tobey Lyons is at present postmaster at Billerica.

There are 665 coal mines in the United States.

Berton Braley's Daily Poem

By Degrees

THE liquor flows and flows as everybody knows
And if your throat is dry you can wet it;
The mighty Demon Rum is still a-going some
And there are places where "You can get it";
A slug of gin or rye you frequently can buy
Though the price of the stuff's going higher;
Yes, there still is lots of booze which a thirsty man can use
But—the country's getting dry, dry, drier!

OH a toper still can tope, but you listen to my dope:
He is getting less and less for his money,
He is paying out his jack for some varnish and shellac
And the physical effect isn't funny.
Here's a truth you may not blink—there is less and less to drink
Though there still is lots of hooch to acquire
And a man can ladle in quite a load of rum and gin—
But the country's getting dry, dry, drier!

THOUGH the liquor still is flowing, old John Barleycorn is going;
He is wobbling from the bump that we gave him,
He may give a kick or two, but he's pretty nearly through
And these anti-dry parades will not save him;
He is old and full of crime and it takes a little time
Ere so tough a bird as John can expire;
There is liquor on his breath—but he's mighty close to death
And the country's getting dry, dry, drier!

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STATE CONVENTION OF BISHOP CURLEY NAMED

AMERICAN LEGION

Appointed Archbishop of Baltimore to Succeed Late Cardinal Gibbons

BOSTON, July 27.—The call for the state convention of the American Legion at North Adams, Sept. 22 to 24, went out yesterday to the various posts. The sessions will take place in the auditorium of Drury high school.

Department officers will be elected, amendments made to the constitution and delegates and alternates to the national convention, in Kansas City, Oct. 31 to Nov. 2, chosen.

The principal constitutional amendment to be discussed is embraced in a resolution recently adopted by New Bedford Post 1, as follows:

"That section 2 of article 4 of the constitution of the department of Massachusetts, American Legion, be amended by the substitution of the following section:

"Section 2—A convention shall be composed of delegates from each post. Each post shall be entitled to one delegate, and to one additional delegate for each 350 members, or fraction thereof, paid-up 30 days prior to the date of the annual department convention. All department officers shall also be accredited delegates to all department conventions, the vote of each of such officers to be accredited to the most of which he is a member. A vote of the convention shall be taken by a majority of the delegates present and voting."

The earth is continually colliding with great clouds of dust and particles ranging in size from a plumed to a walnut.

WHICH IS THIS WOMAN?

A young man named Ralph Adams, now at Grand Rapids, Mich., writes the Sun in an effort to find his mother, Mrs. Ada Adams, who resided in Lowell in 1921. Any information on the matter if sent to this office, will be forwarded to the inquirer at Grand Rapids.

HOW I PUT ONE OVER ON MY WOMEN FRIENDS

They Said I Was Showing My Age, That I Dressed Too Young for My Face

They made unkindly remarks about my wrinkles and bad complexion to young for one's face may see it and men folks—"Cat-like," you know. But one day what I call real news came to me about a certain remarkable beauty secret of old Egypt. That very night I got some and used it on my face, neck and arms, and I kept using it every night and day for a week. Then I went to a Saturday night dance where most of my women friends go. Well, you should have seen them! First they gazed at me and then they said, "What a beauty!" and then when all the gentlemen asked me to dance, some women came around and said to me: "What have you been doing to yourself, Mary? Nothing," I replied, but they heard them saying behind my back, "Oh, she's had wax injected under her skin, or had her face enameled or some facial treatment." I let them talk and I let them because Kijja gives such a natural look that its use cannot be detected; besides it certainly made me look far younger than I really am. After using Kijja I shall be thankful if you will write what it does for you for publication—your name will not be used. Kijja (pronounced Key-oh) is for sale in this city by all leading department stores and drug stores. Adv.

Coalspiel No. 4

WITH APOLOGIES TO WALT WHITMAN

It's too hot, somehow, to write an ad on coal, we'd rather sit in some cool spot with crackers, milk and bowl; or perchance our dream came true, there might be one cold bottle of good old-fashioned brew. These thoughts they linger with us in these days of lurid heat, but soon the days and nights will come when the frost will bite our feet, and the air will fill with tingles and the ever-sharpening sleet. Those are the days and nights when we'll forget the crackers and the bowl and think with satisfying comfort of our bins all filled with coal: coal that's black and has a shine, coal that comes from Pennsy's mine, coal that comes from Lajoie yard, coal extolled by Lajoie bard, that's the coal to beat the sleet. Buy it now on Central street. What's the number? One hundred and ten. What's the phone? Six-three seven. Thank you, I'll go right down.

LAJOIE COAL CO.

HM! IT'S A PRETTY FAIR PAPER!



Here's Tom Edison giving the Marion Star the double O. The fellow sitting on his left is the owner of the paper—President Harding. On Edison's right, earnestly talking with Harding, is Henry Ford. This picture was snapped at the camp of H. S. Firestone, Ford, Edison and other great Americans in the Maryland mountains.

MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM COMMISSION MEETS

A meeting of the Memorial Auditorium commission was held this morning at 10 o'clock for the consideration of routine business. Delegations from the Electrical Contractors' association and Electrical Workers' union were present and inquired as to the reason for the substitution on part of the wiring of the Auditorium of BX ducts for solid steel tubing. The delegations were informed that the substitution was being made by permission of the architect, and under instructions from the commission, to secure whatever economies were possible and, inasmuch as the contractor has made a reasonable rebate and the ducts are satisfactory to the electrical inspectors, the delegations expressed themselves as being perfectly satisfied.

How to be Rid of Dangerous Dandruff

If you have dandruff you must get rid of it quick—it's positively dangerous and will surely destroy your hair if you don't. Dandruff heads mean faded, brittle, gray, scraggly hair that will not grow—then you are bald and nothing can help you. The only sure way to abolish dandruff for good is to destroy the germ that causes it. To do this quickly, surely and safely there is nothing as effective as Parisian sage, which you can get at any good druggist. Your druggist will guarantee to keep away all dandruff, stop itching scalp and falling hair, and stimulate a new growth, at the cost, small as it is, will be refunded. Parisian sage is a scientific preparation, that supplies all hair needs—an antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy, easy to use, and daintily perfumed.—Adv.

Coburn's Liquid Disinfectant

Use a weak solution in the foot bath. It promptly relieves tired, swollen and lame feet. It also removes the unpleasantness arising from perspiring feet.

Quart 30c
Pint 17c

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Agree To Take Up Tax Legislation

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Virtual agreement was said today to have been reached at a dinner conference at the White House last night for senate consideration of tax revision legislation before the permanent tariff act is taken up by that body. A number of senators were President Harding's guests and the legislative situation was said to have been discussed extensively.

Japan's Acceptance Reaches Washington

WASHINGTON, July 27.—A communication from Tokio, believed to contain the formal acceptance by Japan of President Harding's invitation to participate in an international discussion of far eastern questions as well as disarmament, reached the state department today. Pending decoding and examination officials refused to comment on the nature of the communication and had made no decision as to its publication.

Co-ordinate Purchasing Offices

WASHINGTON, July 27.—An executive order to co-ordinate purchasing for the army, navy and shipping board and permit transfer of surplus supplies from one government agency to another, was signed today by President Harding. It was drafted under Director Dawes of the budget bureau and divides the country into zones corresponding to army corps areas for supply purchasing with a general purchasing agent for each area, all working under a purchasing supervisor in Washington.

Raid Alleged Vice Den

Continued. conducted the raid. The persons arrested are Mrs. Winifred McGovern of Medford and Andrew Young, Ralph Jones, Walter Bacon and Joseph Shepard, who also claim to live in Medford.

According to the police, Joseph McGovern, husband of one of the prisoners, claims that his wife left his home last week and took with her a young child of which she is the mother.

After a search, McGovern claims he succeeded in locating his wife and child in the Silver Lake camp Sunday night. He took the child home with him, and Monday the mother returned to her husband. The police say, Mrs. McGovern told her husband she had obtained work out of town and then left home again. The woman was again traced to the Silver Lake camp.

Last night McGovern applied to the Tewksbury police to assist him in securing the return of his wife to her home. Officer A. G. Kelly made an investigation with the result that he came to Lowell last night about 10 o'clock and applied for a warrant and enlisted the services of local officers to assist him in serving it on the inmates of the camp.

Arriving at the camp, the officers found all lights out and windows and doors barred. Demands for admission failed to bring any response. Force was therefore resorted to to gain entrance to the place.

The officers claim that they found all five of the arrested parties in bed. They were compelled to arise and dress hurriedly for an early morning ride to the Lowell police station.

Mrs. McGovern, an attractive young woman, and the other four defendants were called before Judge Pickman in police court this morning. On request of Officer Kelly, the cases against them were continued to Saturday. Bonds were set at \$400.

More than 100 different sweet potato products have been developed in the United States.

About one-third of the half million motor cars in New York state are registered from the city of New York.

Divorce Tangle

Continued. attempted to straighten out the complicated tangle.

Counsel for Dennis claim that he was divorced from the complainant in New Hampshire four years ago.

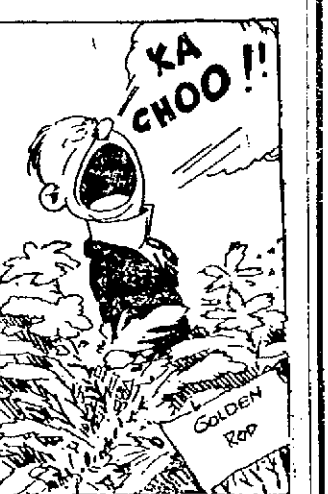
Attorney for the complainant told the court he believed he could prove that not only had the divorce been obtained by fraud, but that assumed names had been used at the time of the marriage. He insisted that the court had jurisdiction to decide on the facts involved in the case.

Counsel for Dennis claimed that the validity of the divorce could only be attacked in the New Hampshire court which granted it.

Controversy between states, practices of the swift-running divorce mills of Nevada, and the results that might follow if police courts should undertake to determine the validity of divorces granted in other states all came in for consideration.

Judge Pickman finally decided that he did not feel certain that he had a right to try the issues involved in the case, and a continuance to Sept. 1 was ordered.

NOW—ALL TOGETHER



VOTE "NO"

You Veterans of the World War Who Are Out of Jobs

Did you read this item in Tuesday's Courier-Citizen? Does it mean anything to you as you walk the streets?

READ THIS:

HURT AT AUDITORIUM

Falling from a ladder while at work on the new Auditorium about 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning, John Mazukelli of Mattapan sustained a fractured skull and was removed to St. John's hospital.—Courier-Citizen.

We are sorry for John Mazukelli of Mattapan, even though he isn't a citizen of Lowell.

John Mazukelli of Mattapan is a contract laborer working for small wages on the big Auditorium job. When the Board of Trade went to the Legislature during the war and wanted a million dollars for a Memorial Building to the heroes of the war—

They also said that the erection of this building would mean jobs for the boys when they got home from the trenches.

But did any soldiers get work under this contract labor job?

We do not know whether John Mazukelli is black or white—but we know that he is not a Lowell man and we know that he is a contract laborer.

YET THEY PROMISED THESE JOBS TO YOU BOYS WHO WON THE WAR.

Now the Chamber of Commerce is promising that Lowell labor will be employed if the streets are built by contract labor.

Lowell labor will be employed under one condition by these contractors—

They will be employed if they will accept \$2.00 a day instead of \$4.25 a day.

THAT MEANS THERE WILL BE NO LOWELL LABOR.

It means another shipment to Lowell of outside labor to do city work.

Is there a service man in Lowell who will vote for contract labor?

VOTE "NO"

VOTE AGAINST CONTRACT LABOR AND ASK YOUR FRIENDS TO ATTEND THE POLLS ON

AUGUST 9th

POLLS OPEN 6 A. M. TO 6 P. M.

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Lowell Citizen's Committee, James O'Sullivan, Chairman, Associate Bldg.

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TO DETERMINE SEMI-FINALISTS

BOSTON, July 27.—The Longwood bowl tennis singles play today was to determine the semi-finalists. R. N. Williams, 2nd, met Ichio Kumagae, champion, was opposed by K. S. Pfaffman, Phil Neer, Intercollegiate champion, was matched with Wallace Bates, another California collegian and Zenza Shimidzu of Japan played against N. W. Miles. The latter defeated Willis F. Davis yesterday in four sets, after the Pacific coast player won the first set in 20 games. Play in the doubles tournament was

JAPAN DECIDES TO PARTICIPATE

TOKIO, July 27. (By the Associated Press.)—The Japanese cabinet has decided to accept participation in the proposed conference on far eastern problems, the Associated Press was informed yesterday. It is understood the Japanese answer will be forwarded to Washington in the near future.

APPEALS SENTENCE TO HOUSE OF CORRECTION

Thomas Perk was before Judge Pickman in the local police court this morning, charged with being the father of an illegitimate child. An unusual feature of the case was the introduction of medical testimony. The defendant was found guilty and sentenced to two months in the house of correction. He appealed and was held in bonds of \$500.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cohen and their children of this city had a narrow escape from serious injury last evening when the automobile in which they

were riding was struck by a south-bound freight train at the Chelmsford Centre railroad crossing. Mrs. Cohen received a badly sprained ankle when she jumped from the machine, but the other occupants escaped with a bad shaking-up. The accident occurred when the automobile became stalled on the car tracks.

TEXTILE WORKERS' CONVENTION
NEW YORK, July 27.—The annual convention of the United Textile Workers of America will be held in New York city beginning Sept. 12, instead of in Knoxville, Tenn., as previously arranged. Mrs. Sara A. Conboy, secretary of the union, announced today. This change was decided upon by the executive council, she said, because of the failure of the union to get a suitable hall in Knoxville.

SPORTING NEWS AND NEWSY SPORTS

How K. of C. "Taxies" Disabled Soldiers to the Ball Games



A wheel chair, a couple of planks and a motor truck have solved the problem of getting disabled veterans to baseball parks and theatres. The Knights of Columbus originated the idea in New York. This wounded doughboy is being "taxied" from Polyclinic hospital to the Polo Grounds.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING			
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	52	33	.611
New York	49	33	.598
Washington	48	38	.558
Detroit	45	43	.506
St. Louis	43	49	.467
Boston	41	50	.451
Chicago	40	52	.435
Philadelphia	35	53	.398

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING			
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	50	32	.609
New York	48	34	.588
Boston	47	36	.566
Brooklyn	47	40	.540
St. Louis	42	47	.472
Chicago	39	49	.442
Cincinnati	36	52	.409
Philadelphia	26	61	.299

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
Cleveland 8, Boston 2.			
Washington 2, Chicago 0.			
Detroit 3, Philadelphia 3, (called in 10th inn.)			

GAMES TOMORROW			
Cleveland at Boston.			
St. Louis at New York.			
Chicago at Washington.			
Detroit at Philadelphia.			

Twilight League Game Ends in Row—Game Awarded to Centralville, Daylights' Manager Protests

The game between the Highland Daylights and the Centralville on the South common last evening ended in the last half of the sixth inning when the crowd invaded the diamond and made further play impossible. Umpire Hart awarded the game to the Centralville by a score of 9 to 6 but the Daylights' manager submitted a protest which will be considered at a later time.

The trouble started when players became dissatisfied with Umpire Hart's decisions and started a fracas in the middle of the diamond. In the last half of the sixth inning a player from the Highland Daylights hit a pretty double and Sullivan followed with a long hit to left field. Lynch tried to catch it but failing to gather it in, he made no attempt to throw the ball to the plate. The umpire declared the ball to be foul. In the meantime, Bridgford had crossed the plate and was out. The Daylights rushed on to the field to register a protest. His way was barred by Catcher Foye of the Centralville, and in a twinkling the field was crowded with players and spectators, all anxious to "get a crack at someone." A few blows were exchanged but, on the whole, the damage was slight. The police tried to show the crowd away but their efforts proved fruitless and after waiting a reasonable length of time, Umpire Hart declared the Centralville to be the winners of the game.

Long John Smith pitched for the Highland team during the first two innings but the opposition reached him too frequently and he took the mound in the third. A couple of old-timers filled the box for Centralville. Jim Riley was yanked in the second and was replaced by Wheeler, who managed to finish the game out.

McVey, the first man up, hit safely to right and went to third on a sacrifice by MacPherson and a hit by Wheeler. MacPherson was caught at the plate. W. Foye whacked out a long one to center and Cawley crossed the plate. A moment later Foye failed to steal second and was declared out. In the third inning the Highland got a run when Greenfield, Bridgford and Sullivan came through with a hit each in quick succession.

In the first half of the second the boys from Centralville grabbed off four more runs. The four rallies were brought in as the result of three hits, two passes and an error. In the third inning the Highland Daylights came back strong and tied the score. The combination that brought in the four runs was the same as that on which the Highland had scored—three hits, a couple of passes and an error.

FIGHT RIGHT DOWN TO WIRE SAYS HUGGINS

NEW YORK, July 27.—Conceding that they will continue the success they had on their recent western trip, Manager Huggins and the Yankees returned to the Polo grounds today, where they opened a series with the St. Louis Browns.

"It is going to be a fight with the Indians right down to the wire," declared Manager Huggins in speaking of the race between his team and Speaker's club.

"We are in good form for a long battle. Of our pitchers, Percy is the only one not in shape. Shawkey has come back wonderfully. The hitters are hitting and we are ready for anything. The boys have the utmost confidence."

"Much depends on whether Cuyler and Bagby can 'come back' as Shawkey has done. If they do our task will be a hard one. If they don't, it will be much easier."

The players themselves feel that they are going to win. As they figure it, Speaker's team is going to have hard sledding with the other eastern clubs. Besides they believe they have the advantage in that Cleveland must make two eastern trips against one more western jaunt for the Yankees.

FRISCH LEADS RUN-GETTERS

Frank Frisch is scoring most of the runs that are helping the New York Giants overtake the Pirates in the drive for the pennant.

The fleet-footed infielder has scored over 70 runs and is leading the league.



FRANK FRISCH

Rogers Hornsby is his closest rival. He is now running a neck ahead of Max Carey of the Pirates for the league base stealing honors.

While this is a year of batting instead of stealing, Frisch stands out as a young Giant's record stands out. Frisch, who is a Fordham university boy, is a fine athlete. He can do the 100 yards in 10 seconds.

Right now he is one of the most valuable players in the National League. McGraw took him fresh from school a year ago.

In addition to his run-scoring and base-stealing assets he is a great fielder and hits around the 330 mark.

He is the most valuable player to his club in the National League.

McGraw could get a small fortune for him—but New York holds its stars instead of selling them.

MT. PLEASANT WINS IN FIRST OF SERIES

The Mt. Pleasant players, in the first of a series of twilight golf matches, won 10 of 17 games on the Longmeadow links yesterday. Flat scores were returned in two of the 17 matches.

A good-sized gallery witnessed the play. It is expected that a return match will be played on the Mt. Pleasant course in two weeks. The result of the contest was as follows:

Scratch	
T. Southern	0
H. J. Thompson	1
A. E. Howard	1
Benton Mills	1
T. Ward	1

Handicap	
D. H. Mulaniff	0
J. Ward	1
A. F. Woodley	0
A. E. Handley	0
F. B. Langdon	1
E. Boyle	1
W. Jewett	1
H. Reynolds	0
K. B. Southam	0
J. H. Martin	1
W. J. Martine	1
F. J. Nevery	0

LONGMEADOW

Scratch	
H. Farrell	0
W. C. Bagley	0
F. C. Mullaugh	0
J. F. Walsh	0
R. F. Mahony	0

Handicap	
Henry Glubicki	1
W. H. McGowan	1
C. T. McKenna	1
J. M. O'Donoghue	1
G. M. Purcell	1
T. Cox	0
R. J. Gaudreau	0
T. A. Kelley	1
G. E. Mayall	0
C. W. Holmes	0
J. H. Rooney	0
F. P. McCartin	1

HOME RUN LEAGUE

Team	Season's Total
Kelly, Glanville	17
W. C. Bagley	12
Fournier, Cardinals	11
Grimm, Pirates	6
Witt, Athletics	1
J. Smith, Phillies	1
Wood, Indians	1
Kink, Phillies	1
Total	5

POLO TOURNAMENT

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., July 27.—The whistle for the first chucker of the annual polo tournament of the Point Judith Polo club will be blown Aug. 1, it was announced today.

Herman Now After Kilbane's Title

NEW YORK, July 27.—Pete Herman who is on his way to New Orleans today to visit his family is richer by \$22,330 as the result of his recent fight with Joe Lynch, in which he recovered the bantamweight boxing title. Sam Goldman, Herman's manager, said he was anxious to arrange a match with Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland for the featherweight title.

GEORGE TYLER RELEASED

Lowell Man Who Pitched for Braves and Cubs in National League Let Go

CHICAGO, July 27.—George Tyler, southpaw pitcher of the Chicago Na-



GEORGE "LEFTY" TYLER

tionals, and Oscar Duguey, coach, last night were given their unconditional releases by President William Veech of the Cubs.

Tyler is a resident of Lowell, and is well and favorably known here. He pitched sensational ball for Lowell in the little old New England league, and his work attracted the attention of many big league scouts and he was finally signed by the Boston Braves. He did much as a member of the "big three"—Rudolph, Tyler and James—to win the pennant and world's series for Boston in 1914. He was later traded to the Cubs and for several years pitched great ball for Chicago. Last year his arm began to trouble him, and while he hurled a number of good games, he did not have the old effectiveness that made him famous in 1914.

ONLY SIX OF CHAMP TEAM LEFT BOSTON, July 27.—The unconditional release yesterday of George Tyler and Oscar Duguey of the Chicago Nationals has reduced to six the members of the Braves 1914 world's championship team still in the major leagues.

Deal remains with the Cubs, Maranville and Whitely are with Pittsburgh, Mann at St. Louis and Hank Gowdy and Dick Rudolph continue as members of the Boston team.

JIM'S CLOVER



Jim Barnes isn't superstitious. Oh, no! When he won the American open golf championship at Chevy Chase he carried a clover blossom between his lips as he made the rounds. His "lucky clover" is almost as famous as Jim himself.

RICARD'S COUPON

Most popular baseball player in Lowell and return vote to RICARD'S THE JEWELER 123 Central St.

NOKES THROWS THE HAMMER 175 FEET

PRINCETON, N. J., July 27.—The Oxford-Cambridge and Princeton-Cornell track teams worked out together again yesterday in preparation for their dual meet Thursday on Travers Island. The feature of the practice was the hammer throwing of Nokes of Oxford.

Nokes threw the hammer 175 feet, or to the greatest heaves ever recorded at Princeton.

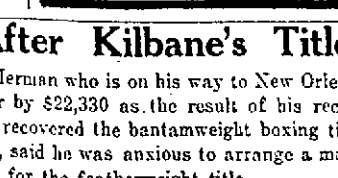
Baker of Princeton also threw well, several of his throws measuring better than 160 feet.

Capt. Rudd of the English team returned yesterday from Southampton, L. I., and had a hard workout. He ran several quarters did some broad jumping and a lot of jogging.

McInnes, the Oxford three-miler, who won the cross-country race against Cornell last winter, was out yesterday for the first time since the meet with Harvard-Yale last Saturday. He and Seagrave practiced picking up and jogging a bit.

SPORT SPOILER

WELL SO-LONG FELLERS I GOTTA GO HOME NOW



HEILMAN OF DETROIT DOESN'T SLUMP

Harry Heilman, slugging outfielder



HARRY HEILMAN

of the Detroit Tigers, is going at a terrific clip.

Week after week he has led American league batters.

The big fellow doesn't seem to know that there is such a thing as the word "slump" in baseball.

Averages compiled up to and including July 20 give Harry a mark of .429.

HARDING'S NEW GOLF GAME

PITTSBURGH, July 27.—J. F. Byers, vice president of the United States Golf Association and former Representative James Francis Burke will introduce President Harding's new golf game of "putts and putts" at the Allegheny Country club course this week.

The game was introduced recently by the president at the Chevy Chase Country club. Mr. Byers and Mr. Harding were paired against Burke and F. M. Fletcher of the state department in a foursome.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Lincoln All-Stars claim the 8 to 11-year-old championship of the city. They defeated the Otis A.A. twice, 22 to 0 and 30 to 4, and defeated the Otis A.C. 22 to 2 and will play any 5 to 11-year-old team in the city. The lineup: P. Sullivan, D. K. Shute, C. E. Sullivan, B. C. McLean, B. E. Hanson, and 3b J. Cokerly and 3b, R. Shute, of F. Casey, Jr. F. Crockett, Jr.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., July 27.—It required an extra heat to determine the winner in the 223 trot which featured yesterday's opening of the short ship races. Three horses were obliged to travel the extra distance. King Harry finally taking the race. The other events were won in straight heats.

The summary: 125 class, pacing, purse \$500.—Won by Fleet Silk (Lincoln). Loleta (Erwin), second; Beautiful Flame (Spencer), third. Best time, 2:11 1/2.

225 class, trotting, purse \$500.—Won by King Harry (Francis Sterling). Winton Six (Davis), third. Best time, 2:16 1/2.

212 class, pacing, purse \$500.—Won by Landis boy (Clippie). B. J. (Bunyan), second; Judge Ormrod (Luvain), third. Best time, 2:11 1/2.

NEW PITCHER FOR CUBS

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 27.—Announcement was made today of a deal whereby Fletcher Hollis Thurston of the Salt Lake club is to be traded to the Chicago Nationals League club in exchange for three players. The players have not yet been named, but it is assumed that Don Brown, already with the Salt Lake club on option, will be one of them. Thurston is to finish the season with Salt Lake.

The Chicago players are to be sent to Salt Lake as soon as possible.

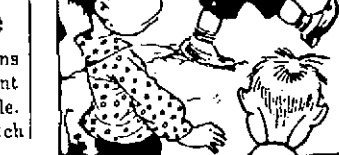
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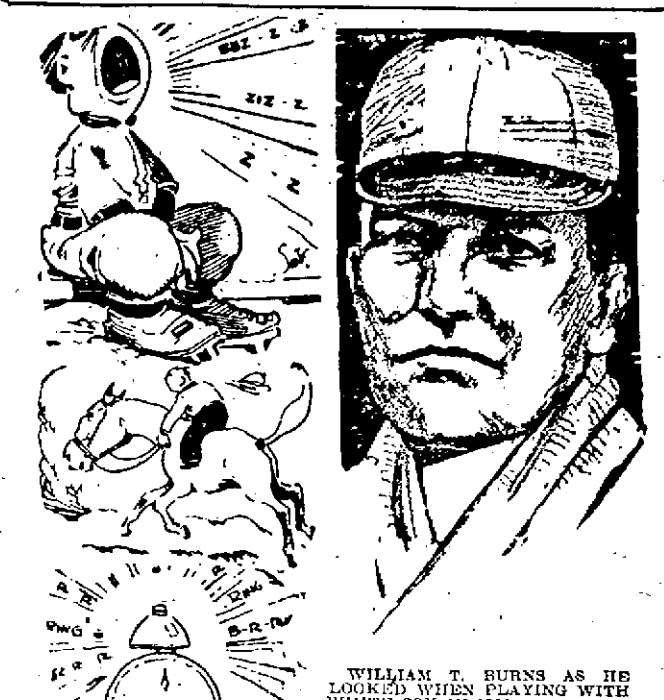
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Master Mind in Series Scandal Had Sleep Habit as Pitcher



WILLIAM T. BURNS AS HE LOOKED WHEN PLAYING WITH WHITE SOX IN 1900

room to look at pictures. He fell asleep while entertaining guests. He would go to sleep sometime while riding his horse on his Texas ranch, it is said.

Fair Pitcher

Burns was a fair pitcher in his day in spite of his weakness for catnaps during the games.

It is now 11. His home is in San Jose, Calif., where he has been in the mining and oil game.

He was born in Texas. He began playing baseball in 1900. For the next year he was a member of the Los Angeles club. Then he came up to the majors.

Burns played one year at Washington, Chicago White Sox, one year (1909); Cincinnati, one year; Philadelphia Nationals, one year; Detroit, three months; Minneapolis, two years; Louisville, two months; Los Angeles, three months, and at Oakland for two and one-half years.

His Record

In 1908 he won 6 games and lost 11 for Washington; won 2, lost 13 for Washington and Chicago in 1909; won 8, lost 13 for Cincinnati in 1910; and lost 10 for Cincinnati and Philadelphia in 1911.

He dropped out of baseball in 1917. After quitting baseball he was in the mining business in New Mexico. During the past year he has been handling the Mineral Wells (Tex.) baseball team.

His health has been poor since 1919 when he underwent an operation. Few would ever think that one of the master minds back of the scandal which has rocked the baseball world, was ever a shy fellow.

Once he invited some players to his room to look at pictures. He fell asleep while entertaining guests. He would go to sleep sometime while riding his horse on his Texas ranch, it is said.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

REAL BASEBALL FANS

WILL RETURN BALLS

By DEAN SNYDER The Philadelphia Nationals are feeling the pinch of balls lost in the grand slam.

They are offering passes for returns. This is opposite to the system used in Cleveland. Owner Jim Dunn has said while the Phillies are having a hard time with the Sox, they are having a hard time with the Sox.

But of course Dunn has just won a pennant and is well on his way toward another while the Phillies are having a hard time with the Sox.

We believe Dunn is using the right tactics and that he will get better percentages than Philadelphia.

Passes ought to be loyal enough to return balls without having to bribe them.

We can imagine a small boy turning in a ball for a pass, but not an honest-to-goodness fan.

SECOND GUESSING

Charley White, after an absence of nearly seven years in New York, will get back on the Gotham boards Aug. 16.

He will have Johnny Dundee, the rubber ball Italian, as his opponent. If he can master this fellow in the 10 rounds to a decision but he will again lose a fight with Dundee.

And it is really Leonard toward whom White is pointing.

The Chicago story is like Carpenter in that after being knocked out he has figured it out where he fought the champion wrong at Benton Harbor.

Carpenter has figured out the same thing as regards his demise at Jersey City.

DISAPPOINTED

The tour which Abe Mitchell and George Duncan will take over American links won't be as successful as the one made a year ago by Ted Ray and Harry Vardon.

The Britons failed to show as impressively in the national open as did Vardon and Ray.

That was a wonderful record. The game was their last, being played at Fall River, Mass.

These Scots are the best representatives of soccer ever gotten together.

They came to America for the purpose of stimulating interest in their game.

They succeeded.

Seeing finished players in action in any sport is a boost for the sport it represents.

The gallery that struts around the golf course every day admires the stars and wonders how the deuce they get that way.

Babu Ruth dislikes to pinch at bat; He'd rather sock for blocks. In fact the only place he'll pinch is in the pitchers box.

STONE DEAD, WIFE ALIVE

President of Purdue University Lost His Life While Climbing Mountain

Wife Found at Foot of 17-Foot Crevice—Expected to Recover

BANFF, Alaska, July 27.—The body of Dr. W. E. Stone has been found and Mrs. Stone is alive and will recover from the shock of the Mount Eanon tragedy, according to a brief letter from guides leading the searching party received here today.

Mrs. Stone was found Sunday at the foot of a 17-foot crevice and the dead body of Dr. Stone was discovered shortly afterward a great distance below on a very difficult position for recovery. Mrs. Stone has been taken to Camp Assiniboine headquarters and nurses have been sent to care for her.

Dr. Stone, who was president of Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., and his wife, have been missing since July 15, when they left the camp of Mountain climbers for a three-day trip in order to condition themselves for the big Alpine camp meet at Lake O'Hara, this week. Dr. Stone and his wife were both experienced Alpinists.

MacMILLAN'S BOAT IS DAMAGED

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., July 27.—Departure of Donald B. MacMillan and his party for the Arctic will be delayed for several days, it was learned yesterday, because the schooner Bowdoin was damaged last night when she was rammed by the steamer Stella Maris. The Bowdoin lay at the wharf taking on final supplies when the accident occurred. She was struck about 20 feet abaft midships and her seams opened for about 25 feet. Surveyors who examined the vessel later yesterday said that the Bowdoin was not slightly damaged and was ready for the start. The Stella Maris was uninjured.

SHORT SKETCHES OF CITY HALL DWELLERS

John W. Crawford, registrar of the water department, is one of the most painstaking and efficient city hall workers. For years he has kept track



JOHN W. CRAWFORD

of the mass of details that are the natural products of so large a department as the one in which he is employed. No matter what information concerning the department you wish to obtain, Mr. Crawford can accommodate you, whether it is the amount of a recently negotiated loan or the reason that your water bill is as high as it is. He has everything concerning the department at his finger tips and more than one commissioner has relied to a great extent on Mr. Crawford's judgment and advice in running the department.

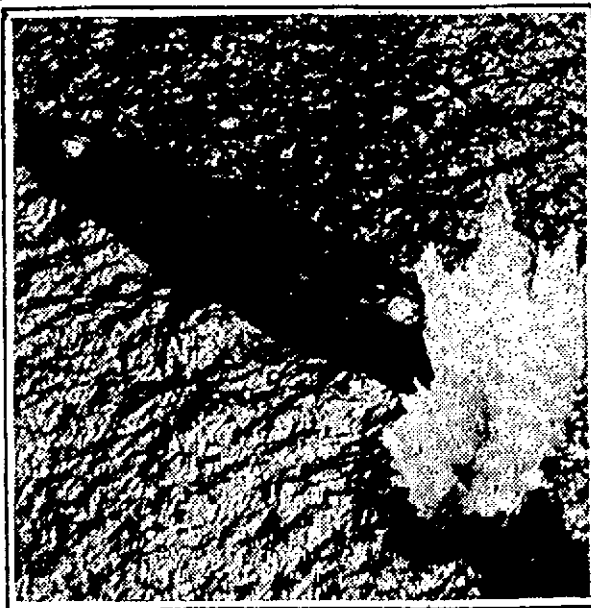
Personally, Mr. Crawford is a most interesting and entertaining talker. He doesn't always confine himself to water department topics, but can talk interestingly and informatively on almost any subject. He believes that no matter how old a man is he should endeavor to keep himself physically fit. During the winter months he visits the gymnasium with unfailing regularity while in the summer he may be seen on the golf links as enthusiastic as players many years younger.

ELECTRIC CAR HITS AUTO

A Studebaker automobile owned by Argyes Zarephes of 335 Rogers street, was struck by an electric car in Rogers street last evening and was slightly damaged. The auto became stalled on the car tracks at about 10:30 o'clock and was bumped by an electric in charge of Operator Connors. No one was injured.

Fewer people live in Norway, Sweden, Belgium and Holland together than within 200 miles of New York.

DOWN SHE GOES!



The climax of the aerial warfare tests came when the two big ships of the former German navy were sunk off the Virginia Capes, the Ostfriesland and (below) the Frankfort.

Tufts Case

Continued

non-arrival of witnesses, or for other reasons beyond his control. Fletcher Ranney opened for the defense. He explained that the respondent will not try to cover all matters referred to by any one witness, for that would be beyond the strength of the district attorney, but will produce sufficient evidence to prove what lay in his mind and his intent, so far as it influenced the conduct of his office.

Ranney Reviews Tufts' Career

Mr. Ranney said that Nathan A. Tufts was born in Fitchburg, worked his way through Brown university and became a member of the bar in 1904. He opened an office in Waltham, where he succeeded in a practice and in 1910 married, his wife being of a well-to-do family. Her people helped him to buy an apartment house, with garage, the income from which proved substantial. His father had a property worth \$30,000 to \$35,000, which he began to turn over in 1912, when he gave \$10,000 in stock to his son. Nathan A. Tufts was elected to the house and senate. In 1916, he was elected district attorney for the northern district. It was about this time that his father turned over the remainder of his property, about \$20,000. The father died in 1918.

Tufts' civil practice increased profitably, and the management of estates and of tax matters enhanced his income. The apartment house property was sold in 1913. His wife's mother left some property about this time, and his father-in-law built the handsome residence in Winchester which the respondent and family now occupy.

More Than 2500 Cases

As district attorney, Mr. Tufts soon found it impossible, explained Mr. Ranney, to undertake in the old-fashioned way to try every case. The total number of cases annually averaged 2500 to 3000, and there were only 80 trial days a year. The practical result was that it soon became apparent to him that only the serious cases could be tried. Some relief was obtained by special sessions, arranged for with the aid of the chief justice of the superior court. Two years ago a bill was introduced into the legislature, and passed last year, providing for 10 months continuous session of the criminal court, so that nearly all the serious cases will henceforth be tried.

Mr. Ranney said he would refer in his opening only to three or four of the major cases brought up in the allegations. Taking up the Mishawum Manor case, with its charges of conspiracy to extort \$100,000, he declared that in all the vast amount of testimony no connection had been made with Tufts. At not one of all the conferences as to which so much testimony no connection had been made with Tufts. At not one of all the conferences as to which so much testimony no connection had been made with Tufts.

Mishawum Manor Case

"Never," said Mr. Ranney, "in any of these conferences of people hostile to Mr. Tufts was it said that he was a man who had been bought or could be."

"In this Mishawum Manor case," he continued, "the chief of police of Woburn wanted prosecution and gave the names of witnesses who had testified in the lower court but Conkley took three prominent, respectable business men to Mr. Tufts, and they denied that they had done anything wrong, further than to buy liquor after hours. Mr. Tufts said he wanted to make an investigation and would allow time before bringing indictments. He made no threats nor promises. There was no evidence that he did. He sent for two girls who had testified in the lower court, one of them Teresa Sears, who has testified in the pending pro-

ceedings, and her testimony did not vary materially from what she told Mr. Tufts. It was to the effect that she saw nothing wrong."

Then Mr. Ranney related that Councilor Wright called on Tufts, and made representations that had weight as to the innocence of the men. But the girl disappeared, and Mr. Tufts wrote to Conkley complaining that somebody was tampering with the witnesses. The opinion of Wright, reinforced by Atty-Gen. Attwill and Charles H. Innes, that there had been nothing wrong done by the moving-picture men was weighed, but the summonses for the grand jury went out. Mr. Tufts being in doubt. The condition of the evidence appeared weakened.

Wanted No More Scandal

Then the chief of police of Woburn (now dead) came to Tufts and urged that it would be better not to have any more scandal about Woburn, that "Brownie" Kennedy would get out of town and stay out if let off with a fine, and the disorderly house charge not pressed. Tufts would not agree, but insisted that there must be proof of her good faith and so had the latter charge continued, and it was not pressed until a year and a half afterward in November, 1918.

"Mrs. Kennedy," continued Mr. Ranney, "was not then the celebrity she has since become. If Capt. Gordon helped to obtain the releases in that case—and he denies it—Mr. Tufts has no knowledge of it. Conkley says he got the releases. Anyway, there has been an end to claims and complaints." As for the Lillian Morae case, Tufts has no memory regarding it, but denies that he ever knew Morae and Kennedy were the same woman.

As for the Stearns case, Mr. Ranney said that Mrs. Stearns consulted Tufts about obtaining a divorce. "She brought letters and a pair of women's white gloves that had been cleansed, and told stories of habits connected with the gloves on the part of her husband to indicate for me to describe here. She showed the letter which had contained the gloves from a Waltham woman, which she regarded as very significant. She left a Liberty bond for charges, having no money."

Denies Story Told By Mrs. Brown

Mr. Ranney continued that Mrs. Stearns came a second time, bringing Mrs. Brown. Tufts knew Mrs. Brown, but her story of the interview is "incorrect." Tufts told Mrs. Stearns that although her letter was enough to awaken suspicion, it was not enough to make a case. Mrs. Stearns insisted that she was positive her husband was unfaithful with women in the south as well as in Waltham. Tufts said he must withdraw from the case if she wished to push it on the ground of adultery. Both women argued that Tufts ought to take the case, but Tufts responded: "I cannot handle this. If you are confident that he is unfaithful, you can arrange to have him followed and caught."

Mr. Ranney denied that Tufts said

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Two books, "Building Up the Blood" and "What to Eat and How to Eat," will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are for sale in every drug store or they will be sent direct, postpaid, on receipt of price, 60 cents per box.—Adv.

he "could make a case," as Mrs. Brown averred, and asserted that instead of Capt. Gordon's being called in, it was another assistant, probably State Officer Silas Smith, who was introduced as having been connected with morally war works in camps, was asked whether he had ever heard the name of Stearns and replied negatively.

Mr. Ranney declared Mrs. Brown "absolutely mistaken" in her testimony that Tufts said a woman "could be furnished." He never thought of it. He suggested that she employ Melvin M. Johnson, but Mrs. Stearns demurred on the ground that he and her husband were both Masons. She suggested Conkley and Tufts agreed that he was "competent, but high-priced." She conducted her arrangements with Conkley entirely apart from Tufts thereafter.

Letter From Lowell Chief

Taking up the International Service Company case, the officers of which have averred that they were "shaken down" for \$7,500, paid to Harry E. Levenson, and by him turned over to former Dist. Atty. Corcoran, Mr. Ranney declared that complaints came into the office of the district attorney that by the literature of the concern some poor persons had been led to believe that if they invested they could get their money back, in time of need, as in a bank.

Tufts asked Atty. O'Neill to investigate, and sent Capt. Gordon to interview Athens, very much as the latter has testified. Ultimately, Tufts turned the case over to his assistant, Wagner. Corcoran came into the case for the defendants and asked for postponement, which was granted. While looking into the case in Lowell, Corcoran suffered an automobile accident which laid him up. Tufts received a letter from the chief of police of Lowell stating that the manager of the branch office there had done good work as an interpreter in cases against the "Reds," which fact was also given weight, and postponed until fall became effective. Ultimately, when Corcoran recovered, he arranged for an agreement with the defendants that the literature should be altered, and argued that if the indictments were prosecuted only innocent stockholders would suffer.

Finally Asst. Dist. Atty. Warner agreed that there were no more complaints the matter need not go farther and Corcoran promised to satisfy any complainants.

Lowell Cases

Mr. Ranney continued that all the various cases cited by the commonwealth to prove the allegations against Tufts, resolve themselves into groups, and one group related to not pressing as a matter of judgment. Referring to the abortion case, in which Dr. Lavigne was indicted, Mr. Ranney declared that the doctor was 32, "respectable, but poor, and the judge said he wouldn't send a man of that age to jail. It was the judge who directed the striking out of the indictment that part referring to the fatality."

Mr. Ranney also instanced the Lowell midwife cases as of this same group, and quoted Judge Fosdick as expressing sympathy, remarking that a midwife was all some people could afford to have to bring their children into the world, and it was he who suggested that the cases be filed on payment of expenses.

"A little investigation," exclaimed Mr. Ranney, "would have saved this charge of malfeasance!" He also instanced the Gentile cases, and put them in the class of "too recent," saying there had not been time for their disposition; so also the Lillian F. Howe case.

Calls Case Trivial

Another case he characterized as "trivial," referring to the Wasserman case in which he said that Jacob Was-

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erman's automobile accident resulted in damage to no person nor property except his own, and resulted simply from his attempt to turn a corner at too great a speed.

It was a question of judgment again in the Burke case, said Mr. Ranney. Frank J. Burke was found guilty in the Concord court of the larceny of some apples, but on his appeal, Mr. Tufts thought it good judgment to take the word of a member of the legislature that it was a case of mistaken identity.

Mr. Ranney also put in the group of matters of judgment the Perry, Barry and Collamore automobile cases, in which the defendants were alleged to be members of the "automobile ring" which stole thousands of dollars' worth of property in Suffolk and Middlesex only technically as a result of transportation. In the honest judgment of Asst. Dist. Atty. Fosdick and Mr. Tufts it was not worth while to try the cases when there were such slim chances of success.

Mr. Ranney cited other cases and defended Tufts' action. He was about to conclude his opening when reminded by Mr. Johnson of the Barney case. Continuing he said that in the Barney case Tufts was alleged to have made certain promises, on which Barney surrendered. But there was no proof. Mr. Ranney argued that the underlying motive on the part of both Atty. Breckinridge and Barney's stop-father in bringing about the surrender was that they were afraid to have Barney at large, since the Cambridge police had threatened to "shoot on sight," and apprehended that Barney also might do some shooting. Mr.

Ranney rehearsed the now familiar Tufts version of the return of Barney to prison, and admitted that Tufts technically violated the "true name law" in registering a state police officer under a fictitious name, but asserted that "no court would hold that the rule of reason doesn't apply, and no court would fine Mr. Tufts a cent." Mr. Ranney said that Inspector O'Halloran wanted Tufts to grab Barney, when the first interview was brought about, "but Tufts said that was not the way. He would keep his agreement."

Mr. Ranney admitted that Tufts ought to have made the statement that he met Barney outside Brattleboro, but in so stating he was trying to carry out a promise. "And a promise to an escaped felon is regarded as sacred by Nathan A. Tufts."

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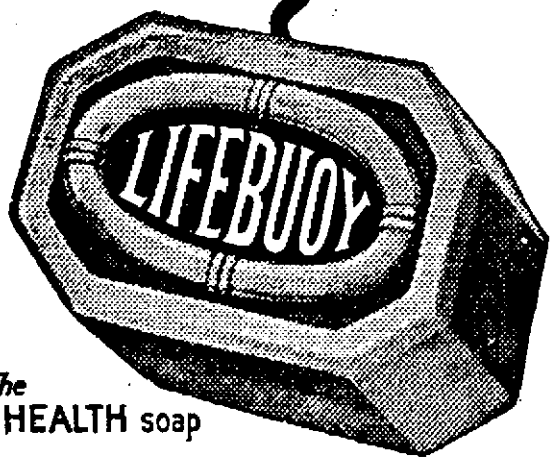
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The Heinze Electric company's plant in Lawrence street is a very busy place. This company, which manufactures automobile accessories particularly for Ford cars, has a payroll of about 400 and all are kept busy 48 hours a week.

Saco-Lowell Shops

shops, who were laid off some time ago because of business depression, are gradually returning to their former jobs, while the plant, which curtailed its working hours, has resumed the 48-hour schedule. During the war the payroll of the company contained over 2400 names, but that was cut down to more than half several months ago. A great many of the old employees were hired back and now the payroll numbers about 1800.

There is practically no change in the working conditions at the Boston & Maine carshops in Billerica, that the men are still working two weeks and loading one, and officials of the company see no prospect in sight for better conditions. The working force of the company, which is about half several months ago and since that time only a few of the men who were laid off were taken back and that was to fill vacancies. Employees of the shop state, however, they firmly believe that as soon as the wage difficulty is settled working conditions will improve.

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COMMISSIONER MURPHY TAKES EXCEPTION

Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy of the street department takes exception to the statements made by the chamber of commerce in its publicity campaign in behalf of its initiative petition calling for contract construction of Lowell street work. He says that the statement that it cost the city \$13.34 per square yard to pave Lawrence street last year is manifestly unfair because it was openly stated at a meeting of the Lowell charter commission last fall, at which representatives of the chamber of commerce, including George F. Wells, secretary-manager, were present, that the cost of paving Lawrence street, including the so-called regulation, was \$5.64 per square yard and \$5.56 without regulation.

Mr. Murphy also says that the Lawrence street job was done in a year when labor and materials were high and where there was considerable added expense entailed because of the delay caused by the tardy arrival of material. He claims that it is unfair to compare the Boston figure of \$3.06 per square yard for 1921 with 1920 Lowell figures.

"NED" CONDON, GLASSY BALL PLAYER INJURED

Edward "Ned" Condon, sensational second baseman of the Highland Daylights ball team, who all season has proven a tower of strength to the team, met with an accident in last night's game that will keep him out of the lineup for the rest of the season.

While running to first base, a bone in his right foot snapped, and caused him considerable pain, but he gamely stayed in and continued to play high class ball until the game broke up. This morning he consulted a doctor, and the latter upon examination discovered a bone fractured and ordered the player to keep off the diamond for at least two weeks.

Young Condon, before joining the Daylights played with the local high school team and he gives promises of developing into a star. His brother, "Lucky," is a member of the South End team. He too, is a fine ball player. The boys are sons of "Jack" Condon, janitor of the Edison school, who when a young man was one of Lowell's leading ball players. Condon has coached the Edison school he has coached the ball teams there and many a high class ball player in the local teams today can trace his success to the efficient training and coaching received while playing under the senior Condon.

FUNERAL NOTICES

HARNOLIS—The funeral of Mrs. (Cardinal) Harnolis, wife of Patrick Harnolis, will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 59 Fourth avenue. A solemn funeral mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock at St. Jean Baptiste church. Friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

LANGLAIS—The funeral of Mrs. Virginia (Contois) Langlais, wife of Abraham Langlais, will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 25 Ames street. A solemn funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Jean Baptiste church. Friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

MCCARTY—Died July 27, at the home, 413 Walker street, Mrs. Rose McCarty, wife of Patrick McCarty and mother of Charles McCarty. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home. A funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Margaret's church at 9 o'clock. Please omit flowers. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

O'BRIEN—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret O'Brien will take place Friday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Tarrant, 27 State street. At the Sacred Heart church a solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated, time to be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

FORSTHE—Died in this city, July 26th, 1921, at her home, 133 Liberty street, Mrs. Margaret Forsythe. Funeral services will be held at 133 Liberty street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

JANSON—In this city, July 26th, 1921, at the Lowell General Hospital, Carl F. Janson, funeral services will be held at his home, 26 Putnam avenue, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

LOWELL MAN DIES IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

The many local friends of Cyrille Constantineau, a former resident of this city and for the past 17 years a resident of British Columbia, will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred suddenly yesterday at Westminster, B. C. A telegram announcing his death was received in this city today from the Westminster lodge of Elks, but no details concerning it were given.

Mr. Constantineau lived in this city a great many years. At one time he conducted a drug store at the corner of Allen and Chester streets and later maintained a real estate office. He served in the common council from ward 6 and about 17 years ago he went to British Columbia, where he engaged in the real estate business, and according to the last news received from him by his Lowell relatives, he was doing well.

Deceased was 55 years of age. He is survived by two children, three brothers, Very Rev. Honore Constantineau, O.M.I., of San Antonio, Tex.; Dr. George Constantineau of this city; and Felix Constantineau of Lowell, Cal. His sisters, Mrs. Felix Constantineau, Mrs. William Favreau and Mrs. Wilfrid Foster, all of this city and Rev. Sister St. Pierre of the order of the Holy Name of Jesus at Detroit, Mich.

CARD OF THANKS
The undersigned wish to express their thanks and appreciation to the many friends and neighbors who by their acts of kindness and beautiful floral tributes tried to lighten the burden and ease the sorrow in the time of their great affliction.
HARRY BELL and Family.
Color-blind persons often have better, clearer vision than persons not so affected.

DEATHS

GANA—Constantina Gana died yesterday, at her home, 116 Dummer street. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of C. F. Molloy Sons.

FORSTHE—Mrs. Margaret Forsythe, a resident of this city for the past 36 years, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 133 Liberty street, of a lingering illness. She is survived by her husband, James Forsythe of this city, five sons, William of Dracut, Edmund of Lynn, George of Portland, Maine, and Samuel of Lowell, of this city; three daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth McQuestion and Mrs. Percy Weeks of this city, and Mrs. Duncun Kelly of Dracut. Burial will take place this morning from the home of her parents, Cheochee, Mass., and Mrs. Bella Baldaire living in Ireland; also by 14 grandchildren.

ASHLEY—John D. Ashley, a well known resident of this city, died yesterday at the home of Peter Andreola, 713 Chelmsford street at the age of 65 years, 6 months and 14 days. Mr. Ashley had been a resident of this city for the past 23 years and was employed as a fixer at the Tremont and Suffolk mills. He is survived by three brothers, John, William and Charles in Vermont and New Hampshire.

HOFFMAN—The body of Fred A. Hoffman who was drowned, late Saturday night, while swimming in the Concord river at Westport, Sullivan, was sent to Baltimore, Md. for burial last night, by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MASTER—Emily M. Master died early this morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Master, 59 Middle street, aged 8 years 10 months. She leaves besides her father and mother two sisters, Doris W. and Mary E. Master, both of this city. Burial will take place this morning at 10 o'clock at St. Margaret's church. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MCCARTY—Mrs. Rose McCarty, widow of Patrick McCarty and an esteemed member of St. Margaret's parish, died this morning at the home of her son, Charles McCarty, 133 Walker street, aged 51 years, 6 months. She leaves one son, Charles McCarty of the New England Laundry, and a grandson, Charles McCarty, of the Holy Cross. Kindly omit flowers. New Haven papers please copy.

O'BRIEN—Mrs. Margaret O'Brien, a well known and highly respected resident of this city, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Tarrant, 27 State street, after a lingering illness, aged 69 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her daughter, three sons, Edward E. O'Brien, the well known yardmaster of the B. & M. R.R., John H. O'Brien, the well known agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., and Francis O'Brien.

GAGNON—Maurice aged 10 months and 29 days, infant son of Joseph and Yvonne Gagnon, died today at the home of his parents, 19 Salem street.

FUNERALS

MONGRAIN—The funeral of Paul Mongrain, infant son of Aldora and of Elizabeth (Deschamps) Mongrain, took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home of his parents, 23 Decatur street. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

POOR—Funeral services of Fred H. Poor were held at the rooms of John Weinbeck, 42 Colburn street, yesterday. The services were conducted by Rev. Edward Babcock, pastor of the First Baptist church. There were many beautiful floral offerings. The bearers were James A. Murphy, Joseph B. Gailvin, John Monson and James E. Burns. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison school house. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

BELL—The funeral services for Mrs. Ruth M. Bell were held at her residence, 314 Woburn street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. John Singleton, pastor of the First Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Bertram Neill. There were many floral offerings. The bearers were William H. high mass, George Bell, Jr., Frederick Bell, Jr., George Thomas Doole and Gottfried Berger. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison school house. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Geo. W. Healey.

O'HANLON—The funeral of Miss Anne B. O'Hanlon took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 55 Gorton street, at 9 o'clock. The funeral was attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelly, sang the Gregorian chant. Mr. Kelly presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings as well as many spiritual bouquets. The bearers were assisted by the following: Messrs. O'Hanlon, Thomas Doole, John McCardle, Joseph Finnegan, Thomas Sheehan and Frank McCarthy. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the funeral prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

SPAUDING—The funeral of Miss Sarah L. Spaulding took place yesterday afternoon from the Central Baptist church in Chelmsford. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Charles H. Ellis. The funeral was attended by many selections, "Something Well Understood" and "The Christian's Goodnight" were sung by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Warren. There were many floral offerings. The funeral services at the church, prayers were held at the home of her brother, Frank J. Spaulding, 32 Grace street, Lowell. The bearers were Earl E. Spaulding, Arthur Spaulding, Edward Spaulding and Fred L. Fletcher. Burial was in the family lot at East Peabody, Mass. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Parham & Ellis. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Parham.

CARTY—The funeral of Patrick T. Carty took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his wife, Mrs. Mary Carty, 101 State street. The funeral was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James F. Lynch. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Thomas Doucette and Margaret Griffin, Mrs. Ella May Toye presided at the organ. There were a profusion of beautiful floral and numerous spiritual offerings. Court General Sheld, 16, P. of officers, Messrs. Thomas Kelley and James E. Lang as delegates. The bearers were Messrs. James Foye, John Foye, William Kilbridge, James Neill, and Charles Lohr. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the funeral prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

WRENN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Murphy Wrenn took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 1007 Central street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Francis Shea and was sustained by the choir. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Mulvey, Robert Mulvey, Cornelius Murphy, John Murphy, Hugh Twomey and Frank Murphy. There was a profusion of spiritual and floral offerings. The funeral was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the funeral prayers were read by Fr. Shea. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

WAROITE—The funeral of Eugene Marcotte, the young man who was drowned in the Pawtucket canal while bathing last Sunday, took place this morning from the home of his parents, 53 Salem street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Andre Cary, O.M.I. The cortege under the direction of Joseph Parolia, who also presided at the organ, rendered the Gregorian chant. The bearers were George Marcotte and Eugene Marcotte. Burial, William Boland, Joseph Brunelle. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the funeral prayers were read by Rev. Fr. E. J. Turcotte, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

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Mrs. John A. Dempsey and children of a street are staying at the Dempsey house, Salisbury beach, for two weeks.
The regular meeting of Clan Grant, 141, O.S.C. will be held this evening and the members will be addressed by Col. John C. Tucker of the British army who is here on an extended furlough. A large attendance is expected.

The Lowell Musicians' union will give a band concert on the South common tomorrow evening from 8 to 10 o'clock as a gift to the city. The music will be furnished free of charge and the only expense the city will have to bear will be that of lighting and seating.

CONTRACTORS WILL NOT RUN THE CITY!

One argument which has been advanced against constructing streets by contract is that only two or three contractors can do the work and they will combine to fix prices and through graft will control the city. Is this true? Is it not an unjust reflection on the present and future City Officials to put forth, as an argument against construction of streets by contract, that they will all become grafters?

LOOK AT WHAT HAPPENED IN BOSTON IN JULY, 1921

Bids had been asked for laying Granite Block and Wood Block Pavement on Dorchester Avenue. The bids were opened on July 7, 1921. FOURTEEN CONTRACTORS SUBMITTED BIDS. Part of the work was to recut and relay about 7865 square yards of Granite Block Pavement. The specifications called for an excavation of twelve inches, a sub base, six inches of concrete base, recutting and relaying the Granite Blocks. The accepted bid was \$3.06 PER SQUARE YARD.

This is about the same work that was done in Lowell last year, by the STREET DEPARTMENT, and cost the taxpayers of Lowell \$13.34 PER SQUARE YARD.

AS A TAXPAYER WHICH DO YOU PREFER?

Fourteen firms bidding on the work, under explicit plans and specifications, and one doing the work for \$3.06 per square yard OR

No bids asked, no specifications furnished, work done by City Street Department and costing the taxpayers \$13.34 per square yard?

(The specifications and bid for the Dorchester work can be examined at the Chamber of Commerce office.)

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